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Date.	Steamers.	Connecting at Aden with	Tons
1926			
13 Nov.	RANCHI ..	NALDERA‡ ..	16,693
20 ,,	RAZMAK ..		10,602
27 ,,	RANCHI ..	MANTUA ..	10,902
4 Dec.	RAJPUTANA		16,568
11 ,,	RANCHI ..	NARKUNDA‡ ..	16,227
18 ,,	RAWALPINDI		16,619
25 ,,	RANCHI ..	MACEDONIA* ..	11,089
1927			
1 Jan.	RANPURA ..		16,585
8 ,,	RANCHI ..	MOOLTAN‡ ..	20,847
15 ,,	KAISAR-I-HIND ..		11,430
22 ,,	RAZMAK ..	MALWA* ..	10,940
29 ,,	RANCHI ..		16,650
5 Feb.	RAZMAK ..	MALOJA‡ ..	20,830
12 ,,	RAJPUTANA		16,568
19 ,,	RAZMAK ..	MOREA* ..	10,918
26 ,,	RAWALPINDI		16,619
5 Mar.	RAZMAK ..	NALDERA ‡ ..	16,993
12 ,,	RANPURA ..		16,585
19 ,,	RAZMAK† ..		10,602
23 ,,	CHINA‖ ..		7,952
26 ,,	KAISAR-I-HIND ..		11,430
2 Apr.	NARKUNDA‡		16,227
9 ,,	RANCHI ..		16,650
16 ,,	RAZMAK† ..		10,602
23 ,,	RAJPUTANA.		16,560
30 ,,	MOOLTAN‡ ..		20,847
7 May	RAWALPINDI		16,619
14 ,,	RAZMAK ..	MALWA† ..	10,940
21 ,,	RANPURA ..		16,585
28 ,,	RAZMAK ..	MALOJA‡ ..	20,837
4 June	KAISAR-I-HIND ...		11,430

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Date about.	Steamers.	Tons.
1926		
25th Nov.	MANDALA ..	8,246
16th Dec.	MANELA ..	8,303
10th Mar. '27	DUMANA ..	8,127
24th ,,	MANDALA ...	8,246
14th April	MARGHA ..	8,258
5th May	DOMALA ..	8,441

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P. & O. SAILINGS TO COLOMBO STRAITS, CHINA, JAPAN & AUSTRALIA

1926		
23rd Nov.	NYANZA .. COMORIN ..	China & Japan At Colombo for Australia.
21st Dec.	DEVANHA .. MOLDAVIA ..	China & Japan At Colombo for Australia.
4th Jan. '27	DELTA .. FALDERA ..	China & Japan. At Colombo for Australia.
18th ,,	NELLORE ... CHITRAL ..	China & Japan At Colombo for Australia.
1st Feb.	NYANZA .. NARKUNDA ..	China & Japan. At Colombo for Australia.

BRITISH INDIA SAILINGS TO AFRICA, KARACHI, PERSIAN GULF, TUTICORIN, COLOMBO, MADRAS, CALCUTTA & RANGOON.

1926		
12th Nov.	VARELA ..	Busreh via Karachi
13th ,,	CHAKLA ..	Karachi via Kathiawar coast ports.
15th ,,	VITA ..	Karachi via Kathiawar coast ports
17th ,,	BANKORA ..	Busreh via Karachi & P. Gulf.
24th ,,	KARAPARA .	East & S. Africa.

There will be Sailings for Karachi on Mondays Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays every week. Local passengers for Karachi can only proceed by the Friday Sailings when accommodation is not required for passengers ex the P. and O. Mail steamer or through passengers to Busrah.

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Paid-up Capital ..... ,, 100,000,000
Reserve Fund ..... ,, 89,500,000
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Batavia	Karachi	Saigon
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Darien	Nagasaki	Shimonoseki
Fengtien	Newchwang	Sourabaya
Hamburg	New York	Sydney
Hankow	Nagoya	Tientsin
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Paid-up Capital ..... Rs. 39,90,000
Reserve Fund ..... Rs. 5,00,000
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18th ,,	,, 14,050	,, 5,580	,, 8,470
24th ,,	,, 15,400	,, 7,440	,, 7,960
30th ,,	,, 16,750	,, 9,300	,, 7,450
36th ,,	,, 18,100	,, 9,300	,, 8,800
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A 27645

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A 27642

WANTED—AGENTS for the SALE of the "BOMBAY CHRONICLE." Only those who are prepared to keep security deposit need apply for agency terms to the MANAGER, "Bombay Chronicle," 139, Medows Street, Fort, Bombay.
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THE INDIAN NEWSPAPER CO. LTD.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the INDIAN NEWSPAPER CO., LTD., will be held at the Company's Registered Office 139, Medows Street, Fort, Bombay, on MONDAY, the 15th day of November, 1926, at 2 o'clock p.m. (S.T.) for the purpose of considering and, if thought fit, passing the following Resolution as an Extraordinary Resolution:—

That the Company cannot by reason of its liabilities continue its business and that it be wound up voluntarily.

In the event of the above Extraordinary Resolution being passed by the Co., the following Resolution will be submitted to the meeting.

That Mr. Bharat K. S. Aiyar of Messrs. K. S. Aiyar and Co., Auditors, be appointed Liquidator for the purpose of winding up the affairs of the Company and distributing the assets, any, of the Company.

By Order of the Board.

N. H. BELGAMVALA,
Managing Director.

NOTICE TO JURYMEN.

IT IS HEREBY NOTIFIED that the FIFTH CRIMINAL SESSIONS of the High Court will commence on WEDNESDay, the 17th November, 1926, instead of on Monday, the 15th November, 1926, as previously notified.

SALEBHOY K. BARODAWALLA,
Sheriff of Bombay.

Sheriff's Office, High Court,
Bombay, 11th November, 1926.
27641

THE BANK OF BARODA, LTD.

A BRANCH of the Bank will be OPENED at Dwarka on the 15th instant. The Baroda Government has arranged for Steamers to touch regularly at Port Okha which is a few miles from Dwarka. The Bank will handle all foreign Bills for goods consigned to this Port.

C. E. RANDLE,
General Manager.

Baroda, 11th Nov., 1926.
27642

PUBLIC NOTICES.

NOTICE

BOMBAY CITY POLICE.

APPLICATIONS ARE INVITED for the posts of Sub-Inspectors in the Bombay City Police Force

2. Only Indians, WHO ARE RESIDENTS OF THE BOMBAY PRESIDENCY and possess the following qualifications need apply:—

AGE:—Between 22 and 25 years.

(N.B.—In proof of the correct date of birth the applicant will have to produce IN ORIGINAL AT THE TIME OF SELECTION (1) an extract from the Municipal or village register of births, or a Memo from the Municipal Officer or Mamlatdar of the Taluka that the applicant's date of birth is not traceable in the register of births, (2) a horoscope, (3) entries in books of family accounts, (4) certified copies of School or College Register and (5) any other evidence.

EDUCATION.—Must have passed at least the School Leaving Examination. A good knowledge of Marathi or Gujarati is essential.

HEIGHT:—Not less than 5'-5".

CHEST MEASUREMENT:—Not less than 33" (Deflated).

Certificates from two respectable persons as to moral character and social standing.

3. Only two or three candidates will be selected. The selected candidates will be required to undergo a course of training for 18 months at the Central Police Training School, Nasik, commencing from 5th January, 1927. During the course of training they will draw a monthly allowance of Rs. 40 and will have to conform to all the rules and regulations of the school. On successfully passing out of the school, they will be appointed as Sub-Inspectors on probation for 12 months on pay Rs. 125 per mensem rising to Rs. 200 by an annual increment of Rs. 5 plus free quarters, a free outfit of uniform on appointment, conveyance allowance at Rs. 15 per mensem and clothing allowance at Rs. 10 per mensem. After the expiry of the probationary period during which they will receive practical training they will be confirmed if found satisfactory.

4. Before admission into the School the selected candidates will be required to pass a physical test to show that they are thoroughly fit for outdoor employment and are free from any disease likely to interfere with their efficiency as Police Officers: they must be vaccinated or if already vaccinated must be re-vaccinated.

5. Intending applicants should forward their applications, WRITTEN IN THEIR OWN HANDWRITING with copies of certificates and testimonials to the Commissioner of Police, Bombay, BEFORE THE 7TH DECEMBER, 1926.

P. A. KELLY,
Commissioner of Police.

Head Police Office:
Bombay, 11th November, 1926.
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NOTICE

IN THE MATTER OF THE INDIAN COMPANIES' ACT VII OF 1913.

and

IN THE MATTER OF MESSRS MARCKS & COMPANY, LIMITED.

(In Voluntary Liquidation).

CREDITORS of the abovenamed Company are required on or before the 15th day of December, 1926 to send in their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts and claims, if any, to the Liquidators of the said Company at the Registered Office at No. 43, (New No. 95), Esplanade Road, Fort, Bombay, and if so required by notice in writing from the Liquidators, are to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in the said notice, or in default thereof, they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.

Dated, this 12th day of November, 1926.

J. H. HARDIE,
A. GILCHRIST,
N. M. RAIJI,
W. W. PROCTER,
Liquidators.
27640

THE BOMBAY PROVINCIAL CO-OPERATIVE BANK, LTD,

NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an AD-INTERIM DIVIDEND for the half year ending 30th September, 1926, at 8 per cent. has been declared and will be payable on and after MONDAY, the 1st December, 1926, to those share-holders whose names stand on the Register of the Bank on 21st November, 1926.

By Order of the Board,
VAIKUNTH L. MEHTA,
Managing Director

Bombay, 11th November, 1926.

N.B.:—The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Bank will be CLOSED from 23rd November, 1926, to 1st December, 1926, both days inclusive.
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PUBLIC NOTICES.

NOTIFICATION BY THE COMMISSIONER OF POLICE, BOMBAY.

NO. 10979/151 of 1926.

THE following draft of a notification, which it is proposed to issue under Section 22 (1) (b) of the City of Bombay Police Act, IV of 1902, is published, as required by Section 22 (2) of the said Act, for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby, and notice is hereby given that any objections or suggestions which may be received in writing by the Commissioner of Police from any person or persons with regard to the draft on or before the 1st December, 1926, will be duly considered.

DRAFT NOTIFICATION.

In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 22 (1) (b) of the City of Bombay Police Act, IV, of 1902, the Commissioner of Police has made the following additional rule:—

"22. Regulation of traffic in Bhuleshwar Street and Cathedral Street:—Bhuleshwar Street from its junction with Kalbadevi Road to its junction with Cathedral Street is closed to North bound vehicular traffic.

Cathedral Street from its junction with Bhuleshwar Street to its junction with Dadyshet Agiary Street is closed to South bound vehicular traffic.

The parking of any vehicles is prohibited within the above notified areas of Bhuleshwar and Cathedral Streets."

P. A. KELLY,
Commissioner of Police.

Head Police Office,
Bombay, 26th October, 1926.
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NOTICE.

APPLICATIONS ARE INVITED for the following posts:—

1 DEMONSTRATOR in Electrical Engineering, pay Rs. 200—10—250.

1 LECTURER in Electrical Engineering pay Rs. 250—20—550. (Bombay Educational Service).

The initial pay in the grade will be given according to qualifications, age and experience.

The information to be supplied in the application:—(1) Name in full, (2) Age with date of birth, (3) Caste with sub-caste, (4) Place of education, (5) Academic qualifications with classes and year of passing each examination, (6) Place of birth, (7) Previous teaching experience, (8) If employed where, (9) Copies of testimonials regarding character and fitness for the post from Heads of all Institutions wherein candidate may have studied or served for the last three years.

Appointment will be on probation for one year in the first instance.

Applications are also invited for the posts of Laboratory Assistant on Rs. 50 and Electrical Mistry on Rs. 75. The applicants for these two posts should have had practical experience of electric wiring and and repair work in an electrical laboratory, testing room or power station. The applications should be accompanied by certificates of character and fitness from the heads of departments, where they are serving. These two posts are temporary.

Applications with the above information should reach the Principal before 25th November, 1926.

Candidates must be prepared to come to Poona for an interview at their own expenses.

W. L. C. TRENCH,
Principal.

College of Engineering,
Poona, 8th November, 1926.
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LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Messrs. NANABHAI RAMCHANDRA TELANG and WAMAN RAMCHANDRA TELANG have contracted to sell to our client the property described in the Schedule hereunder written.

All persons having any claim or demand whatsoever against or to the said property either by way of mortgage, gift, sale, trust, possession, inheritance, lease, lien, share, easement or otherwise howsoever in the said property or any part thereof are hereby required to give notice thereof in writing to the undersigned at their Office at 14, Shivlal Motilal Mansion, Hummum Street, Fort, Bombay, within fourteen days from the date hereof, otherwise the purchase shall be completed without any reference to any such claim or demand and the same shall be considered as waived.

THE SCHEDULE ABOVE REFERRED TO

All that piece or parcel of redeemed Pension and Tax land or ground together with the messuage tenement or dwelling house standing thereon situate, lying and being at Borbhat Lane, without the Fort of Bombay, in the Registration Sub-District of Bombay, containing by admeasurement Eighty-four square yards or thereabouts and registered in the Books of the Collector of Land Revenue under Old No. 679, New No 306A, Old Survey No. 516, and New Survey No. 7711, assessed by the Assessor and Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes under "D" Ward No. 725 and Street No. 19 and Cadastral Survey No. 210, Girgaon Division and bounded as follows:—that is to say, on or towards the East by the property of Wamanrao Laxumanrao Patil, on or towards the West by the property of Vassanji Narayanji Bhimji and on or towards the North by the Borbhat Cross Lane and on or towards the South by the Borbhat Lane.

Dated this 11th day of November, 1926

DIVEKAR & CO.,
Purchaser's Attorneys.
27641

LEGAL NOTICES.

HIGH COURT.

O. O. C. J.

Re: COSTS OF MESSRS MANOHAR & CO.

and

Re: (1 a) MURLIDHAR R. SINGI & Ors.

and

IN THE MATTER OF SUIT NO. 3548 OF 1923.

J. P. LALKAKA ..... Plaintiff.

Vs.

(1 a) MURLIDHAR R. SINGI & Ors ..... Defendants.

and

MESSRS. MANOHAR & CO., ... Applicants.

To,

RAGHUNATH R. SINGI, Esqr.

Sir,

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that a CHAMBER SUMMONS, dated 7th day of October, 1926, taken out for an Order for payment of our taxed costs will be argued on the 19th day of November, 1926, in Chambers.

Dated this 12th day of November, 1926.

Yours truly,
MANOHAR & CO.,
Applicants.
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NOTICE

UNDER instructions from our clients Messrs. JAYANTILAL BABALDAS, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Sha Poonamchand Nihalchand and Sha Jeychand Talukchand, who were both partners in our clients' firm, doing business as Sugar Merchants, at Khand Bazar, Bombay, have ceased to be partners in our clients' said firm from Kartak Sud 1st S.Y. 1983 (i.e., 6th November, 1926), and that any dealings whatsoever with either of them will not be recognised by our clients from that date.

MULJEE PRADHAN & PEREIRA,
Attorneys for Messrs. Jayantilal Babaldas.
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NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that HAJI ABDULLA JUSAB has contracted to sell to our client HAJI ESUF ISMAIL KILLEDAR, the undermentioned property. Any person having any claim or interest in or to the said property by way of sale, mortgage, trust, lien, possession, gift, inheritance, lease or otherwise howsoever is hereby required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at their office at Ismail Building, Hornby Road, Fort, Bombay and to the Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes within 14 days from the date hereof, otherwise the sale will be completed without any regard to any such claim and the same, if any, will be considered as waived.

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY.

All that piece or parcel of quit and ground rent land (now redeemed) together with the messuage tenements or dwelling house standing thereon situate, lying and being at Ali Umar Street and Banian Street in the Registration Sub-District of Bombay, in the Island of Bombay, containing by recent admeasurement 3673 square yards or thereabouts and registered in the books of the Collector of Land Revenue under Collector's Old Nos. 916, 917, Collector's New Nos. A/8086, 8087 and 8086, 8087, Old Survey Nos. 1959, 1960, New Survey Nos. 2/1165 and 1/1165 and bearing Cadastral Survey Nos. 1/2707, 2708 of the Bhuleshwar Division, and assessed by the Assessor and Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes formerly under C Ward Nos. 6046, 6047 and Street Nos. 2, 4 59 to 67 and now under C Ward Nos. 6046, 6047 and Street Nos. 128-132 and 72-80 and bounded as follows, that is to say, on or towards the East by the Ali Umer Street aforesaid, on or towards the West by the sweeper's passage, on or towards the North by the property of the Milk Charity Bazar and on or towards the South by the Banian Street aforesaid and which said premises are now occupied by the Vendor's tenants.

Dated this 11th day of November, 1926.

A. B. SUTARIA,
For Messrs. Dastur and Co.,
Purchaser's Attorneys.
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AUCTION SALES.

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AT EVERY SALE NOT MORE THAN THREE LOTS WILL BE PUT UP.

The Intending purchasers of "Sir Mangaldas Nathubhai's" properties are informed that Lot No. 2 on which the "West-End Cinema" is situated will be sold on the premises at Tribhowan Road TO-MORROW SUNDAY, the 14th instant at 4-30 p.m. (S.T.) and the remaining lots will be sold in the compound of Sir Mangaldas Nathubhoy's bungalow.

WEEKLY AUCTION SALE.

THIS DAY, SATURDAY the 13th inst. at 3.30 p.m. (S.T.) Messrs. BENNETT & CO., will sell by Public Auction at their rooms a quantity of grey and coloured piece-goods etc.

By order of the Bank and concerned.—

One lot of Verity's ceiling fans with blade holders, electric iron, ceiling fan motors, table fans, 20 D.C. & 3 A.C. regulators, etc.

2 cases mouth organs.

One direct couple motor with pump by "Osler" lifting water for 110 feet height very little used.

30 pieces Revolving and tilting office chair screws.

By order of the Executor of the late Mr. G. Wittet.

A lot of furniture such as hanging cupboard, chairs, card table, writing table, Chesterfield sofa and cushions, lamps, etc.

By order of the Assessor and Collector of Municipal taxes.

One lot of arm chairs, chairs, teapoys, Hand Singer Sewing Machine, carved round table, etc., etc.

Property of a deceased Parsi gentleman:

One lot wearing apparel, one lot copper and German silver utensils, one lot of furniture, one lot of locks, scissors, soap, etc., etc.

Property of a gentleman proceeded Home:

A large lot of household furniture consisting of dining tables, chairs, mirror back side-board, iron cots with mattresses, dressing and wash hand tables, office tables, chest of drawers, easy chairs, meatsafe, partition screens, etc.

AT 2-30 P.M. (S.T.)

1 second-hand rubber-tyred victoria.
1 second-hand rubber-tyred vis-a-vis.
1 second-hand rubber-tyred brougham.
1 second-hand rubber-tyred office shigram.
1 Bay Arab horse in harness.
1 Waler horse in harness.

One Maxwell touring car 1920 model 25 H.P. 4 cylinder, 5 seater fitted with Zenith Carburetor in good running order.

SALE WILL TAKE PLACE AT BOMBAY.

AUCTION SALE OF IMMOVEABLE PROPERTY, SITUATE AT SAMIFARI IN JAMNAGAR CITY.

Under instructions from N. H. Moos, Esq., the receiver appointed in suit No. 2858 of 1922 (Gulamhusein vs Mahomedbhai), Messrs. BENNETT & CO., will THIS DAY, SATURDAY, the 13th instant sell by Public Auction at 2-30 p.m. (S.T.) at their rooms the following property:—

All that piece of land with tenements and buildings standing thereon situate at Samifari otherwise known as Minarfari in Jamnagar City belonging to Abdul Hussein Alladin Khambatawalla deceased and bearing Municipal No. 350.

For further particulars and conditions of sale apply to Messrs. Daljas and Co. attorneys for the Receiver or to the undersigned.

AUCTION SALE OF FOUR OIL ENGINES TOGETHER WITH COMPLETE ACCESSORIES, ETC.

Messrs. BENNETT & CO, will THIS DAY SATURDAY, the 13th inst. sell by Public Auction at 3-30 p.m. (S.T.) at their rooms by order of the Bank concerned:—

4 oil engines with two fly-wheels for industrial purposes, exhaust tank, stationery fuel tank, belt pulley, starting crunk, etc.

A deposit of 25 per cent. will be required at the time of sale.

BONA-FIDE SALE

AUCTION SALE of valuable made to order furniture by John Roberts and others, also Jacobean furniture, grandfather's clock, English brass clocks, roll top table, electric vacuum cleaners, etc., etc.

TO-MORROW, SUNDAY, the 14th instant, at 10-30 a.m. (S.T.) Messrs. BENNETT and Co. will sell by Public Auction at "Ashmore House," Cumballa Hill, Peddar Road, valuable and handsome made to order furniture by John and Roberts and others also Jacobean furniture, rich glass and crockeryware, Jacobean dining table, chairs, mirror back side board, dinner waggons and dumbwaiters drawing room suite of Chesterfield sofas and easy chairs, Persian carpets, "Timekeepers Watch" by S. Smith and Sons, London, table ornaments, rich pictures in frame, one handsome grandfather's clock, chiming quarter, half and hour on Westminster gong, English brass clocks, one electric vacuum cleaner in perfect order, roll top office table, handsome triple mirror door almyrahs (joondas), dressing chest of drawers, cloth and gown presses, child's large rocking horse, cooking stove and utensils, meatsafe, store cupboards, ice box, water filter, etc., the property of A. Dunn, Esq.

Catalogues are published and the property on view.

A GOOD OPPORTUNITY TO CAPITALISTS.

AUCTION SALE OF THE VERY VALUABLE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY KNOWN AS "SIR MANGALDAS' WADY" SITUATE AT GIRGAUM ROAD, LAMINGTON ROAD and TRIBHOWAN ROAD, (FORMERLY KNOWN AS KHETVADY MAIN ROAD), BOMBAY.

Under instructions from Messrs. Payne and Co., Attorneys for Mr. Kisondas Tribhowandas Mangaldas the Plaintiff in the Hiza Court suit No. 1354 of 1922 'Kisondas T. Mangaldas vs. Gordhandas T. Mangaldas and others) and pursuant to the directions given by the Arbitrator Mr. J. B. Kanga as per Consolidated Consent Decree made in Suits No. 3389 of 1920 (Gordhandas vs. Kisondas) No. 6663 of 1921 (Gordhandas vs. Kisondas) No. 2017 of 1921 (Kisondas vs. Gordhandas) and No. 1354 of 1922 (Kisondas vs. Gordhandas and others) on the 13th day of December, 1922, Messrs. BENNETT and Co. will sell by Public Auction TO-MORROW, SUNDAY, the 14th day of Nov. 1926, at 4-30 p.m. (S.T.) and on every SUNDAY following at the same hour until all the lots are sold, on the premises the undermentioned property subject to a reserve in lots in the order mentioned below.

PARTICULARS OF THE PROPERTY.

LOT NO. 2.

ALL that piece or parcel of pension and tax land or ground with the messuage tenement or dwelling house standing thereon situate, lying and being at Tribhovan Road formerly known as Khetwady Main Road in the registration Sub-District of Bombay containing by admeasurement 3928 square yards or thereabouts, registered in the office of the Collector of Land Revenue under Old No. 336, New No. 2165, being a part of Old Survey No. 25, New Survey No 7387 and being a part of Cadestral Survey Nos. 1266 and 1267, and assessed by the Collector of Assesement under D. Ward Nos. 1660(11-12), 1660(10), 1660(11), 1660(13), 1660(15), 1660(20) 1660(21), 1661(1), and 1661(2), Street Nos. K, 1K, 1J, 1L, 1M, 1G, 1T, 1U, 2 and 2A, and bounded as follows, that is to say on or towards the North by Tribhovan Road formerly known as Khetwady Main Road, on or towards the South by premises belonging to the late Sir Mangaldas Nathubhoy and comprised in Lot No. 3 hereunder mentioned on or towards the East by the Improvement Trust plots 30 and 31 and portion of 29, Charni Road Estate, on or towards the West partly by the premises lately occupied by the Small Causes Court, Bombay, being Lot No. 1 herein and partly by the portion of the premises comprised in Lot No. 3 hereunder. The said premises include land on which stand the West End Cinema Film godown, and Karunesh Printing Press. The said premises are delineated on the plan prepared by Messrs. D. P. Bhedwar and N. D. Kanga under instructions from the said Arbitrator Mr. J. B Kanga and surrounded thereon by red colour boundary line and marked No. 2 The structure of the West End Cinema has been erected by the owner of the Cinema who is the tenant and is the property of the tenant. The purchaser shall not be entitled thereto. The tenancy is monthly.

LOT NO. 4.

ALL that piece or parcel of pension and tax land or ground with the messuage tenement or dwelling house standing thereon situate, lying and being at Lamington Road in the Registration Sub-District of Bombay containing by admeasurement 3474 square yards or thereabouts, registered in the office of the Collector of Land Revenue under Old No. 118, Old Survey No. 17, New Survey No. 7387 and a part of Cadastral Survey No. 1265 and assessed by the Collector of Assessment under D. Ward Nos. 1660(AC) 1660(AD), (1660(1A) and 1660(AB) Street Nos. 209 AC, 209AD, 269A, and 209AB, and bounded as follows that is to say on or towards the East by Damodar Khatri's Wadi on the West partly by Lamington Road and partly by Lot No. 5 on the North by a portion of Lot No. 3 comprising the bungalow lately in the occupation of Sir Mangaldas on the South partly by Girgaum Back Road and partly by Lot No. 5. The said premises comprise properties on which at present stands the Imperial Cinema, House known as Tara House, Garages and another one storeyed house adjoining Khatri's Chawl. The said premises are delineated on the aforesaid plan and surrounded theron by red colour boundary line and marked No. 4. The structure of the Imperial Cinema has been erected by the owner of the cinema who is the tenant and is the property of the tenant. The purchaser shall not be entitled thereto. The tenancy is monthly.

LOT NO. 5

ALL that piece or parcel of pension and tax land or ground with the messuage tenement or dwelling house standing thereon situate, lying and being at the junction of Lamington Road and Girgaum Back Road in the Registration sub-District of Bombay containing by admeasurement 273 square yards or thereabouts registered in the office of the Collector of Land Revenue under Old Survey No. 17 and being a part of New Survey No. 7387 and being a part of Cadestral Survey No. 1265 and assessed by the Collector of Assessment under D. Ward No. 1660(1B) Street No. 209B, and bounded as follows, that is to say, on or towards the East by Lot No. 4 herein comprising premises known as Imperial Cinema, on or towards the West by the Lamington Road, on or towards the North by the said Lot No. 4 comprising Imperial Cinema and on or towards the South by the Girgaum Back Road. This lot comprises property known as the Imperial Building. The said premises are delineated on the aforesaid plan and surrounded thereon by red colour boundary line and marked No. 5.

LOT NO. 1.

ALL that piece or parcel of pension and tax land or ground with the messuage, tenement or dwelling house standing thereon situate lying and being at Lamington Road, in the Registration Sub-District of Bombay containing by admeasurement 4518 square yards, or thereabouts, registered in the office of the Collector of Land Revenue under Old No. 301 New No. 2042 being a part of Old Survey No. 24 and part of Old Survey No. 25 New Survey No. 7387 and part of Cadastral Survey No. 1265 and assessed by the Collector of Assessment under D. Ward No. 1660(14) Street No 1N, and bounded as follows, that is to say on or towards the North by Tribhovan Road formerly known as Khetwady Main Road, on or towards the East by the property comprising inter alia Karunesh Press and the West End Cinema, being Lot No. 2 on or towards the South by the property comprising the Bungalow belonging to the late Sir Mangaldas Nathubhoy being Lot No. 3, on or towards the West by the said Lamington Road. The said premises comprise properties known as Judex Building and premises formerly occupied by the Small Causes Court of Bombay. The said premises are delineated on the aforesaid plan and surrounded thereon by red colour boundary line and marked No. 1.

LOT NO. 9.

ALL that piece or parcel of pension and tax land or ground with the messuage tenement or dwelling house standing thereon situate, lying and being at Lamington Road in the Registration Sub-District of Bombay containing by admeasurement 862 square yards or thereabouts registered in the office of the Collector of Land Revenue under Old Survey No. 18 and being a part of New Survey No. 7362 and a part of Cadestral Survey No. 1264 and assessed by the Collector of Assesment under D. Ward part of Nos. 1665(3), 1796(4), 1796(5), 1796(6), and 1666, Street Nos. 2D, 3B, 3C, 3D, and 3, and bounded as follows, that is to say on or towards the East by the said Lamington Road, on or towards the West by the property of Mahimwalla, on or towards the North by Balaram Dongrey's property and on or towards the South by property being Lot No. 8. The said premises are delineated on the aforesaid plan and surrounded thereon by red colour boundary line and marked No 9.

LOT NO. 8.

All that piece or parcel of pension and tax land or ground with the messuage, tenement or dwelling house standing thereon, situate, lying and being at Lamington Road, in the Registration Sub-District of Bombay, containing by admeasurement 1,031 square yards or thereabouts, registered in the office of the Collector of Land Revenue under Old Survey No. 18 and a part of New Survey No. 7362 and part of Cadastral Survey No. 1264, and assessed by the Collector of Assessment under D Ward part of Nos. 1665 (3), 1665 (4), and 1665 (5), Street Nos. 2B, 2C and 2D, and bounded as follows, that is to say, on or towards the East by Lamington Road, on or towards the West by the property belonging to Mahimwalla, on or towards the North by Lot No. 9 and on or towards the South by Lot No. 7. The said premises are delineated on the aforesaid plan and surrounded thereon by red colour boundary line and marked No. 8.

LOT NO. 7.

All that piece or parcel of pension and tax land or ground with the messuage, tenement or dwelling house standing thereon, situate, lying and being at Lamington Road, in the Registration Sub-District of Bombay, containing by admeasurement 1,031 square yards or thereabouts, registered in the Office of the Collector of Land Revenue and forming part of property bearing Collector's Old No. 52. New No. 488, a part of Old Survey No. 18, New Survey No. 7362 and a part of Cadastral Survey No. 1264, and assessed by the Collector of Assessment under D Ward Nos. 1660 (16), 1665 (1-2), and 1665 (2A), Street Nos. 1P, 2-2A and 2AA, and bounded as follows, that is to say, on or towards the East by Lamington Road, on or towards the West by the property belonging to Mahimwalla, on or towards the North by Lot No. 8 and on or towards the South by Lot No. 6. The said premises are delineated on the aforesaid plan and surrounded thereon by red colour boundary line and marked No. 7.

LOT NO. 6.

All that piece or parcel of pension and tax land or ground with the messuage, tenement or dwelling house standing thereon, situate, lying and being at the junction of Lamington Road and Girgaum Back Road in the Registration Sub-District of Bombay, containing by admeasurement 2,661 square yards or thereabouts, registered in the Office of the Collector of Land Revenue and forming part of property bearing Collector's Old No. 52, New No. 488, a part of Old Survey No. 18 and a part of New Survey No. 7362 and a part of Cadastral Survey No. 1264, and assessed by the Collector of Assessment under D Ward Nos. 1663 (1), 1663 (1A), 1663 (1B) and 1663 (1C), Street Nos. 211, 211A, 211B and 211C, and bounded as follows, that is to say, on or towards the East by the Lamington Road, on or towards the West by the properties of Mahimwalla, on or towards the South by Girgaum Back Road, on or towards the North by Lot No. 7. The said premises consist inter alia of property known as Tribhovan Terrace and Tutorial Press. The said premises are delineated on the aforesaid plan and surrounded thereon by red colour boundary line and marked No. 6.

LOT NO. 3.

All that piece or parcel of pension and tax land or ground with the messuage, tenement or dwelling house standing thereon, situate, lying and being at Lamington Road, in the Registration Sub-District of Bombay, containing by admeasurement 9,093 square yards or thereabouts, registered in the Office of the Collector of Land Revenue as part of Old Survey No. 17, 24 and 25 and part of New Survey No. 7387 and part of Cadastral Survey Nos. 1265 and 1267, and assessed by the Collector of Assessment under D Ward Nos. 1660 (1), 1660 (1AA), 1660 (1AAA), 1660 (2), 1660 (3), 1660 (3A), 1660 (4A), 1660 (5A), 1660 (6), 1660 (7), 1660 (8), 1660 (9), 1660 (17), 1660 (18), and 1660 (19), Street Nos. 1A, 1L, 1, 209 (1AA), 209 (1AAA), 1A, 1B, 1BB, 1CC, 1DD, 1E, 1F, 1G, 1Q, and 1S, and bounded as follows, that is to say, on or towards the East by Plots 28, 29 Charni Road West Estate, belonging to the Improvement Trust, on the West by Lamington Road, on or towards the North by Lots Nos. 1 and 2, and on the South partly by Lot No. 4, partly by Khatre Wadi and partly by the property of Shantaram V. Kantak. The said premises include amongst others the bungalow occupied by the late Sir Mangaldas Nathubhoy. The said premises and delineated on the aforesaid plan and surrounded thereon by red colour boundary line and marked No. 3.

For further particulars and conditions of sale and plan please apply to Messrs. Payne and Co., at their office at Mercantile Bank Building, Esplanade Road, or to the undersigned at their office in Apollo Street, Fort.

AUCTION SALE OF THE "KHOTI" RIGHT AND IMMOVEABLE PROPERTIES IN THE VILLAGE OF GHATKOPER, SALSETTE DISTRICT.

Under instructions from Messrs. Ardeshir Hormusjee Dinshaw & Co., attorneys for Messrs. Muncherjee Pallonjee Contractor and Rattonshaw Muncherjee Kavarana the proving executors of the last Will of Phiroshaw Jamsetjee Commissariatwalla deceased, Messrs. BENNETT & Co., will on SUNDAY, the 12th Proximo sell by public auction at 3-p.m. (S.T.) at Phiroza Terrace, Ghatkoper:—

(FIRSTLY): All that the right, title and interest as the Khot of the village of Ghatkoper, Salsette District, Zilla Thana, as comprised in the indenture of Kowl dated 31st December 1845 including the right of recovery of rent, assessments, charges, and dues payable by all the "Sooti", "Chiklee" and other tenants and also the rights of the Khot in all the palm and date trees, earth, sand, stone, gowthan etc., etc., in all that piece of land known as the village of Ghatkoper situate in Taluka Salsette bearing survey Nos. 1 to 260 and entry Nos. 1 to 983 and bounded on the east partly by the village of Vikhrole and partly by the creek on the west by the villages of Kirol and Pawai on the north by the villages of Pawai and on the south by the villages of Chembur and Kurla.

(SECONDLY):—All that piece of land forming a portion of survey No. 173 falni No. 1 entry No. 254 in the village of Ghatkoper admeasuring about 830 square yards and known as "Phiroze Terrace" and bounded on the east by the G.I.P. Railway lines on the west by the Chimbur Road on the north by the property of Dr. S. B. Bagwe and on the south by the overbridge of the G.I.P. Railway.

(THIRDLY):—All those pieces of Khoti and government land situate in the village of Ghatkoper admeasuring about 4529 square yards together with the bungalow formerly known as the "Khot's bungalow" but now known as "Korshed Bag" and five or six chawls, stables, washing places and well standing thereon and bearing entry Nos. 228, 235, 238, 278, 251, 253|54, 258, 285, 146 Survey Nos. 172, 173A, 173 B, 124, falni Nos. 10, 1 and bounded on the north by the Bombay Agra Road, on the South by the property of Thakersey Mulji on the east by the property of Sheikh Mahomed Saleh Masdrani and on the west by the property of Katchi Lohana orphanage.

For further particulars and conditions of sale apply to Messrs. Ardeshir Hormusjee Dinshaw and Company Attorneys for the vendors or to the undersigned.

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Under instructions from the B. B. and C. I. Railway and in accordance with the provisions of Sections 55 and 56 of the Indian Railways' Act No. IX of 1890, Messrs. MENESSE and Co. will sell by Public Auction at the risk of the owners on MONDAY, the 29th November 1926. at 2 p.m. (S. T.) at Carnac Bridge Goods Depot, booked and unbooked articles and unclaimed bags of grain, wheat, Gowar, Jowar, Gunny Bags, Cottonseeds; Grain, Sweepings, Railings, Luggage, Rubber tyres Machinery; Stationery; Perfumery; Rose Water; Iron packages, etc.

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Mr. Nanabhoy Hormusjee Bhiwandiwala has promised to give Rs. 1,500 towards the half of the cost of suppers.

Sir Cowasji Jehangir, Bart., has promised to give the brass band.

Mrs. J. K. Mehta has promised to give the Bohemian Band.

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Further contributions will be published as they come in.

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Class	Rows No.	SEASON TICKETS Members	Non-Members
1st	1 and 2	Rs. 25-0	Rs. 30-0
2nd	3, 4 and 5	,, 1-0	,, 20-0
3rd	Remaining	,, 7-8	,, 12-8
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BOMBAY COTTON MARKET.

AMERICANS:—COAL STRIKE ENDS.

LOCAL:—BETTER UNDERTONE—GENERAL BUYING.

AMERICANS.

Bombay, Nov. 12.

Yesterday the New York market opened 1 point higher and touched the highest May position being quoted at 12.92 and soon prices eased to 12.86 the lowest of the day. The market finally closed steady at a rise of 1 to 4 points.

The New Orleans market was closed and there is no special feature to call attention Speculation is absent and the range of the market has narrowed between 8 and 15 points which suggests that a very limited business is passing.

The Liverpool market is featureless and rules quiet but steady.

LOCAL MARKET.

Following steady American markets, our market opened for Broach Apl/May at Rs. 251/8 and quickly improved on commission houses buying. The market ruled steady throughout the day but before the close the Marwari Bazar prices registered a further rise and closed as under:—

	Opening	Highest	Lowest	Close
Broach				
Apl/May	251/8	254/12	251/8	254/12
Oomra				
Dec/Jan	240	245/8	240	243/8
March	236	239/8	236	239/8
Bengal				
Dec/Jan	209½	211	209/8	211
March	207½	209	207/8	209

SEWRI.

Liverpool opened 8 points up and further improved one point of peace reports of the coal strike. The forward market improved on better Liverpool advices and Broach April/may touched Rs. 257/8. At this level there came in some profits taking and market closed as under:—

	Opening	Highest	Lowest	Close
Broach				
Apl/May	255/8	257/8	255/4	255/8
Oomra				
Dec/Jan	243	244/8	243	244
March	239	241	239	240
Bengal				
Dec/Jan	209	211	209	210
March	208	210	208	209

BREUL & CO.'S MARKET REPORT.

RECEIPTS INTO BOMBAY.

Bombay, November 12, 1926.

In full-pressed Bales.	Yesterday	Since 1st. September This Year	Last Year
Khandesh ..	148	1,958	21,143
Central India ..	..	6,301	13,507
Barsi and Nagar	87	872	3,256
Hyderabad-Gaorani	..	110	408
Berar	123	1,864	7,333
Central Provinces ..	..	616	2,168
Total Oomras ..	358	11,721	47,825
Dholera		2,737	12,315
N.W. Provinces	1089	4,215	28,743
Rajputana		5,493	3,616
Sind-Punjab ..	54	3,164	13,928
Broach	..	77	2
Coompta & Dharwar	112	5,711	11,572
Westerns-Northerns	..	6,861	5,265
Cocoanada ..	..	202	1,471
Tinnevelly and Cambodia ..	..	4,277	6,341
Persian	..	1,879	1,041
American	658	27,489	138
Egyptian and African ..	..	14,649	21,247
Comilla, Burma & other sorts ..	..	..	10
Total	1,613	82,475	1,53,538

EXPORTS FROM BOMBAY.

In full-pressed Bales.	1st. Sept. to 4th. Nov. Yesterday	This year	Last year
Europe	281	41,243	64,346
Japan & China ..	158	14,203	49,078
Coast Ports		2,682	3,794
Up-country by Rail. ..		20,680	1 198
Afloat in harbour for Europe, China and Japan		8114	8,745
Total	439	86,922	1,27,161

RECEIPT PRODUCTS.

Bombay, Nov. 12.

	cwts.
Wheat	7,197
Linseed	3,221
Gingellyseed	3,506
Poppyseed	75
Groundnuts	10,438
Castorseed	835
Rice	44,673
Myrabollams	1,794
Cottonseed	1,667
Mowraseed	593
Gram	1,466
Joowar	255
Bajree	3,574
	otns
Coal	1,454

OLD CROP.

Bombay, Nov. 12.

Broach M G Fine	275/285
Bengal M G F G	205/215
Knandoish	180/220
Akola/Khamgaon	215/240
Nagpur	235/250
Jalna/Aurangabad	190/220
Sanavad/Khandwa	200/230
Punjab/American	290/305
Adoni	200/235
Bijapur	200/235
Bagalkot	225/245
Coompta	280/300
Tirupur	285/315

NEW YORK COTTON.

New York, Nov. 11.
Today's price.

December	12.31	+.03
January	12.43	+.04
March	12.66	+.04
May	12.89	+.04
July	13.11	+.04
Middling Spot	12.70	unchgd.

NEW YORK COTTON DAILY STATISTICS.

New York, Nov. 11.
To-day's sales (Bales).

Day's Receipts at all U.S. Ports	76,000
Day's Exports to Great Britain	19,000
Day's Exports to the Continent	7,000

NEW YORK DEMAND BILLS

New York, Nov. 11.
To-day's price.

Demand Bills 484.56.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON.

New York, Nov. 11.

Market was closed to-day.

INDIAN COTTON.

Liverpool, Nov. 11.

Scinde Good	4.75	unchgd.
Scinde Fully Good	5.05	,,
Scinde Fine	5.35	,,
Bengal Good	4.85	,,
Bengal Fully Good	5.15	,,
Bengal Fine	5.45	,,
Oomra Good	5.60	,,
Oomra Fully Good	5.90	,,
Oomra Fine	6.20	,,
Broach Good	5.35	,,
Broach Fully Good	5.85	,,
Broach Fine	6.25	,,

EGYPTIAN COTTON.

Liverpool, Nov. 11.
To-day's closing.

November	13.37	+.06
December	13.20	+.06
January	13.05	+.06
February	13.03	+.06
March	13.00	+.06
April	12.98	+.06
May	12.95	+.05
June	12.92	+.04
July	12.91	+.05
August	12.89	+.05
September	12.99	+.05
October	13.14	+.05
November	13.16	+.04
Sakellaridis FG.F. Spot	14.80	unchgd.

LIVERPOOL COTTON.

Liverpool, Nov. 11.
To-day's sales (Bales)

Sales at Liverpool	8,000
Sales on Speculation	300
Sales of East Indian Cotton	50

NEW YORK 10-55 A.M.:—
(As known in Liverpool at closing time).

	To-day's price.	
January	12.40	+.01
March	12.63	—.01
May	12.86	—.02

NEW YORK NOON CALL:—

January	12.40	unchgd.
March	12.63	,,
May	12.87	,,

NEW ORLEANS 10-45 A.M.—
The market was closed.

LIVERPOOL COTTON.

Liverpool, Nov. 11.
To-day's closing.

November	6.66	unchgd.
December	6.68	,,
January	6.74	,,
February	6.76	,,
March	6.82	,,
April	6.84	,,
May	6.91	,,
June	6.94	,,
July	7.00	—.01
August	7.03	—.01
September	7.06	unchgd.
October	7.08	,,
November	7.08	,,
Middling Spot	6.90	+.04

WHEAT—LONDON MARKET.

London, Nov. 11.
To-day's price.

Barletta Russo, per 62½ lb.:—
Shipment sellers Jan/Feb. 55/-.
Rozario Santa, Fe, per 62½ lb.:—
Shipment sellers Jan/Feb. 55/6.
Market:— Very quiet.
Wheat, Australian:—
Shipment buyers Jan/Feb. 57/-.
Market:—More offering.
Wheat, Choice White Karachi:—
Shipment sellers Nov/Dec. 59/6.
Wheat, Choice White Karachi:—
Shipment sellers Liverpool, Nov. 59/-.

LONDON PRODUCE.

London, Nov. 11.
To-day's price.

Cottonseed, Bombay:—
Shipment nominal Nov/Dec. £7-5/8.
Castorseed, Bombay:—
Shipment sellers Nov/Dec. £16-1/8.
Rapeseed, Ferozepore, Real Fold, ton:—
Shipment nominal Nov/Dec. £17-7/8.
Rapeseed, Toria, ton:—
Shipment Hamburg sellers Nov/Dec. £19-3/8.
Rapeseed, Toria, ton:—
Shipment Rotterdam and Hamburg paid Dec/Jan. £18-3/8.

COFFEE—NEW YORK MARKET.

New York, Nov. 11.
To-day's price.

Rair Rio Coffee (No. 7, quality), spot, 16-9/16.

LONDON DISCOUNTS.

Bombay, Nov. 12.

3 months 4 25/32 per cent.
6 months 4 7/8 per cent.
Bank of England Rate 5 per cent.
Money Call 1/2 per cent.
1 month 2 per cent Nom.
3 months 2 per cent. Nom.
6 months 3 per cent.
Imperial Bank Rate 4 per cent.

LINSEED AND WHEAT MARKet.

Bombay Nov. 12.

There was general buying and prices improved for may linseed and closed steady at Rs. 9/13/6.

The wheat market showed a better tendency with short covering and prices ruled very steady with a better undertone:—

	Rs	a.	p.
January	8	0	9
May	7	6	9

LINSEED.

London, Nov. 11.
To-day's price.

Linseed, Calcutta, ton:—
Shipment sellers Nov/Dec. £17-2-6.
Linseed, Calcutta, ton:—
Shipment sellers Apl/May £16-10-0.

LINSEED OIL.

London, Nov. 11.
To-day's price.

Linseed Oil, naked, London, cwt:—
Delivery sellers Dec. 30/4½.
Linseed Oil, naked, London, cwt:—
Delivery paid Jan/Apl. 30/3.

LINSEED.

London, Nov. 11.
To-day's price.

Linseed, La Plata, c.i.f., ton:—
Shipment offered Nov/Dec. £15-3/4.
Market: Steady.
Linseed, Bombay:—
Shipment nominal Nov/Dec £13-1/4.

LONDON RUBBER.

London, Nov. 11.
To-day's price.

Smoked Sheet, Standard, Ribbed, lb. spot, 1/8-5/8 buyers.
Smoked Sheet, Standard, Ribbed, lb. spot, 1/8-7/8 sellers.
Pale Crepe, lb. spot, 1/8-3/8 buyers.
Pale Crepe, lb. spot, 1/8-5/8 sellers.

JAVA SUGAR—LONDON MARKET.

December, per cwt, 17/10-1/2.
Jan/Mar. per cwt, 18/.
July/Sept. per cwt, 16/6.
Java Sugar, Fine White, Dutch Standard No. 25, c. and f: Bombay.
Jan/Mar. per cwt, 18/1
Java Sugar, Fine White, Dutch Standard No. 25, c. and f. Karachi.
Jan/Mar. per cwt, 18/1-3/4.

BANK OF ENGLAND RETURNS.

London, Nov. 11.
This Week.

Total Bullion, £152,100,000.
Public Deposits, £18,600,000.
Other Deposits, £102,200,000.
Government Securities, £36,200,000.
Other Securities, £69,400,000.
Notes and Coin, £33,000,000.
Currency Notes Outstanding, £270,200,000
Ratio of Reserve to Liabilities, 21-30 per cent.

WOOL MARKET.

London, Nov. 12.

Compared with other wool carpet sorts present wool prices considered extremely dear. Present values may possibly be maintained till China resumes export. (Private Cable).

LONDON DISCOUNT RATES.

London, Nov. 11.
To-day's price.

Bank Bills, 3 months, 4-25/32 per cent.
Bank Bills, 6 months, 4-7/8 per cent.
Fine Trade Bills, 3 months, 5-1/4 per cent.
Fine Trade Bills, 6 months, 5-3/4 per cent.

LONDON METALS.

London, Nov. 11.
To-day's price.

Copper, English Best Selected, £63-3/4.
Copper, Braziers, £73-1/2.
Yellow Metal, £68.
Spelter, Hard, £29-3/4.
Corrugated Sheets, 24 Gauge, £17-5/8.
Tin Block, £307-1/2.

MONEY MARKET.

EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS.

Bombay, Nov. 12.

B. C. RATE—
Bank's selling T T 1/5 25/32.
Bank's selling D D 1/5 13/16.
LONDON—
Bank's selling T T 1/5 13/16.
Bank's selling D D 1/5 27/32.
Bank's buying M/st D A 1/6 5/32.
Bank's buying T T 1/5 7/8.
Bank's buying D D 1/5 29/32.
PARIS—
Bank's selling D D Frcs. 1052.
Bank's buying 3 M/st D. A. Frcs. 1187.
Bank's buying D D Frcs. 1172.
JAPAN—
Bank's selling T T Rs. 136 1/2.
Bank's buying 60 D/st D P Rs. 132 1/2.
HONGKONG—
Bank's selling D D Rs. 133 1/2.
SHANGHAI—
Bank's selling D D Rs. 168.
SINGAPORE
Bank's selling D D Rs. 157 3/4.
NEW YORK—
Bank's selling D D Rs. 277 3/4
CROSS RATES—
London—New York Dol. 4.85 1/16.
London—Paris Frcs. 150.75.
London—Switzerland Frcs. 25.15.
London—Brussels Frcs. 34.82.
London—Rome Liras; 119.00.
London—Berlin Marks 20.38.
TONE OF EXCHANGE—
Exchange Market steady.

LONDON EXCHANGE.

London, Nov. 11.
To-day's price.

T. T. Berlin on London, 20-41-3/4.
T. T. Amsterdam on London, 12-11-7/8.
T. T. Brussels on London, Unquoted.
T. T. Madrid on London, 32-03.
T. T. Milan on London, 117-00.
T. T. Berne on London, 25-13.
T. T. Paris on London, Unquoted.

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE.

London, Nov. 11.
To-day's price.

Chartered Bank of I. A. and C. £20-1/8.
Hongkong and Shanghai Bank (London Register), £118-1/2.
Po and O. Banking Corporation, £11-1/2.
National Bank, £47-3/4.
Eastern Bank, £6-1/4.
Funding Loan 4 per cent. £84-3/4.
Conversion Loan, £74-5/8.
Indian Loan 5½ per cent. £102-3/8.
Rupee Paper 3 1/2 per cent £57.
Indian Stock 3½ per cent. Sterling Loan, £69-3/4.
Government Securities 3 per cent £59-1/2
Consols £54-1/2.
War Loan 5 per cent £99-3/4.
Victory Bonds 4 per cent. £91-7/8.

BULION.

Bombay, Nov. 12.

Sovereigns Ready 13/9.
Sovereigns Forward 13/9.
National Bank Bar Gold 22.
Bar gold ready, Rs. 21/9.
Bar gold forward Rs. 21/8/9.
Bar gold 2nd settlement, Rs. 21/8/9.
Bar silver ready. Rs. 60
Bar silver 1st settlement, Rs. 59/8.
Bar silver 2nd settlement, Rs. 58/4.

London, Nov. 11.

Bar gold ready, s. 84 11 1/2.
Silver ready, d. 25/6.
Silver forward, d. 25/2.
TONE OF SILVER—Dull. No sufficient silver at lower rate but market not strong at the quotation. India bought heavily. Market looks weak but don't expect any decided fall.

SILVER MARKET.

Bombay Nov. 12.

Following a sharp rise, the silver market opened firm on heavy short covering and bulls buying. Prices registered new high level Kartak being quoted at Rs. 59/2/0 and Magsar at Rs. 58/6/0. At this level there came some profit taking and apart of the advance was lost. Towards the close there was brisk demand and the market closed at the highest of the day.

	Rs.	a.	p.
Kartak	59	8	0
Magsar	58	4	0
Ready	59	10	0
Double option Premiums:—			
Kartak	1	2	0
Magsar	2	7	0

GOLD MARKET.

Bombay Nov. 12.

The Gold market presented 9 steady appearance and prices improved; Kartak quoted at Rs. 21/9 and Magsar stood also with the same rate. Finally prices closed as under:—

	at 6 p.m. Rs.	a.	p.
Kartak	21	9	0
Magsar	21	9	3
Ready	21	9	0

LONDON SILVER.

London, Nov. 11.

Silver—India Bought. Small offerings. Market closed uncertain.

To-day's price.

Spot, 25-3/8.
Forward, 25-1/8.

LONDON GOLD.

London, Nov. 11.
To-day's price.

Bar Gold, Fine, per oz. 24-4-11-1/2.

London, Nov. 11.
To-day's price.

Interest, Day to Day Loans 4 per cent.
Interest, 7 Days' Market Loans, 4 per cent.

THE METAL MERCHANTS' CO.

Issued Rates for Brass and Copper.
Daily Quotations.

BRASS.

	Per md.	Bombay, Nov. 12. Rs.	a.	p.
Brass English	3/4	55	8	0
Brass English	1	55	8	0
Brass English	1¼	55	8	0
Brass English	1½	55	8	0
Brass English	1-3/4	55	12	0
Brass English	2	55	12	0
Brass German	3/4 to 2	54	8	0

COPPER.

	Per md.	Bombay, Nov. 12. Rs.	a.	p.
Copper, French	3/4 to 2	57	8	0
Copper German	3/4	57	12	0
Copper German	1	57	12	0
Copper German	1¼	57	12	0
Copper American	1½	58	4	0
Copper American	1.3/4	58	4	0
Copper American	2	58	4	0
Japanese Copper Bars				
Panchteka joint		27	0	0
Copper, English Bars		54	0	0
Brass Bars		40	0	0
Pat Klai		75	4	0
Lead Rangooni		26	0	0
Lead country		24	0	0
Koger Brass Metal 3/4 to 1		53	8	0
Koger Brass 1¼ to 1½, 1½ to 2		53	8	0
German Copper 1¼ to 1½ to 2		57	12	0
American Copper ¾ to 1, 1¼		53	4	0
English Copper 3/4 to 2		57	12	0

QUOTATIONS OF LOCAL MILL CLOTHS

(Issued by the Hindustani Native Merchants' Association.)

Bombay, Nov. 12.

		Rs.	a.	p.
KHADI:—				
Textile	Per lb.	0	11	6
Century	,,	0	11	0
Jacob	,,	0	11	0
E. D. Sassoon	,,	0	11	0
Elphinstone	,,	0	10	3
Appollo	,,	0	11	0
LONG CLOTH (Full weight) 34/40 In:—				
Sandard Mill	Per lb.	0	14	6
Century 91½-92½	,,	0	14	6
Century 6404-8705	,,	0	15	0
Hindustan Mill	,,	0	15	0
Fazal (Mahal)	,,	0	15	0
Phoenix	,,	0	14	3
Pabaney (Poolmala)	,,	0	14	6
Manekji (Patangia)	,,	0	14	3
Kaliamardan	,,	0	14	6
Daud Sahib	,,	0	14	0
LONG CLOTH (Light weight) No. 5202/5808				
Rachael Mill	Per lb.	0	15	0
Hindustan Mill	,,	0	14	9
David Mill	,,	0	15	0
Appollo	,,	0	14	6
LONG CLOTH x Quality:—				
Swan Finlay	,,	0	14	3
Gold Mohor	,,	0	13	6
LONG CLOTH Satin Calender 34.42 In:—				
Textile (Hand)	Per lb.	0	14	0
Spring (Merchant)	,,	0	14	0
Century (Bugle)	,,	0	13	6
Appollo (Pyala)	,,	0	13	3
Tata Mill (Darji)	,,	0	13	6
Sakuntala	,,	0	18	6
Sundari Brand	,,	0	13	6
Globe	,,	0	13	0
Rachael	,,	0	13	3
Palkhi	,,	0	13	6
Maher	,,	0	13	6
LEPAD.—				
Spring	,,	0	13	9
Textile	,,	0	13	9
Century	,,	0	13	3
Maher	,,	0	13	0
DHOOTIES 7 8 9 Yards:—				
Spring (Balance)	Per lb.	1	0	0
Jacob	,,	0	15	6
Century	,,	0	15	6
Mun Mill	,,	1	0	0
DHOOTIES 10 Yards.				
Spring (Balance)	,,	0	15	0
Century	,,	0	14	6
Jacob	,,	0	14	6
Mun Mill	,,	0	15	0
1386 Tata	,,	2	14	0
CHECK GREY DRILL x lbs 5:—				
Bombay Cotton	Per Piece	3	14	0
Jamshed	,,	3	14	0
Century	,,	4	2	0
Pearl Pebaney	,,	4	2	3
Hindustan No. 902	,,	4	2	3
BLACK CHECK:—				
5800 Sholapur	,,	11	0	0
2020 Jacob	,,	5	8	0
5800 Kurla	,,	8	4	0
1325 Morarji	,,	5	7	0
GABRUN No. 5124:—				
Pearl Pebaney	,,	7	5	0
Hindustan	,,	7	5	0
E. D. Rachael	,,	6	12	0
SALITA:—				
Century	Per lb.	0	13	9
Textile	,,	0	13	9
Spring (Merchant)	,,	0	14	6
STRIPPED SADIS Yards 12:—				
777 Kohinoor	Per Piece	2	6	0
777 Crescent	,,	2	3	0
Appollo David	,,	2	3	0
DUKDI Yards 12-13-14:—				
Kanta	Per lb.	1	1	6
Great	,,	1	1	0
Phoenix	,,	1	1	6
Kohinoor	,,	1	1	9
Tata	,,	1	1	6
CHADAR Kori Calendar:—				
Hindustan	Per lb.	0	15	0
David	,,	0	15	0
Mahe	,,	0	13	0

AMERICAN MARKETS.

REPORT OF A. NORDEN & CO.

NEW YORK, Oct. 14.

Cotton: Although, at the close last night, prices were virtually unchanged from those of a week ago, several important developments have, in the meantime, occurred. On October 8, the Crop Reporting Board stated that indications as of October 1 pointed to a production of 16,627,000 bales, which amount was in line only with the highest trade estimates and represented an increase of 1,461,000 bales over the official crop indication of September 1 and of practically 500,000 bales over the record production of 1914-15.

Under the influence of the report all active months, with the exception of July, broke through the 13 cent level, the decline being finally halted by heavy trade buying and short covering. The rally which has subsequently occurred must be attributed primarily to the vigorous manner in which the Government and business interests throughout the South are co-operating to restore confidence among producers whose demoralized condition may be gauged by the fact that, during the week ended October 8, 937,387 bales (New York Cotton Exchange figures) were brought into sight, by far the largest week's movement on record.

Reassuring statements made by the members of the Cotton Committee appointed by President Coolidge received widespread publicity and were largely responsible for the smaller volume of hedge selling which has been in evidence during the past few days and for the general improvement in sentiment. The committee pointed out that there is no lack of financial resources to provide for the orderly marketing of the crop; storage facilities are ample; three of the leading consuming countries, England, Germany and Japan, having stabilized currencies, are in a position to make long time contracts for the purchase of cotton without assuming risks of exchange; the matter of the adjustment of acreage next year is receiving the active attention of various local interests and the Department of Agriculture is rendering all assistance possible for the development of a sound programme of crop diversification in the South. The chairman of the President's committee was the managing director of the War Finance Corporation and, in consequence, the formulation of a plan for facilitating exports on a credit basis may be anticipated. The present situation, however, is not one that can be easily remedied.

We realize that it is the consensus of public opinion which rules speculative markets as far as intermediate fluctuations are concerned, but major price swings are invariably the reflection of fundamental conditions. The growing belief that the Administration will rescue the South from its present serious position is probably the only outstanding constructive factor at the present time but a further advance would not be surprising notwithstanding the very large supplies which are in existence. Fundamentally, however, the outlook is too bearish to encourage hopes of higher prices being maintained until a much greater proportion of the crop has been marketed.

Since the publication of the last Government report weather conditions have been mostly favorable and there is a tendency in well-informed quarters to anticipate that, unless killing frost intervenes, the Crop Reporting Board's next estimate, to be published on October 25th, will exceed 17,000,000 bales. Most optimistic views could not result in this season's consumption being estimated as likely to exceed 15,000,000 bales against 13,730,000 bales during the twelve months ended July 31st and a large addition to last season's surplus appears inevitable. In this connection, the increasing activity in new cotton producing countries may be pointed out. Last season, the world's consumption of outside growths exceeded that of 1924-25 by 9 per cent. whereas the total consumption of American cotton increased only 3.6 per cent. The recent drastic decline in the value of silver has reduced the purchasing power of India and China considerably and both European and Japanese mills are likely to suffer on this account. The coal strike in England also continues to affect consumption possibilities unfavorably.

The extent to which producers will be prevailed upon to curtail acreage next year is problematical. A very material reduction will be essential if a moderate production is to be assured for, with insect damage apparently decreasing each year, a gradual improvement in the average yield per acre may be expected. The Department of Agriculture's data on the percentage reduction from full yield per acre of cotton from insect pests show this to have been 35.4 per cent. in 1921; 26.7 per cent. in 1922; 26.6 per cent. in 1923 and 12 per cent. in 1924. Figures for 1925 are not available but they are probably smaller than in the previous year.

The enormous volume of cotton in the South has been so widely advertised that until there are fairly definite grounds for anticipating a better adjustment between supply and demand, the majority of spinners may continue to adhere to their established policy of hand-to-mouth buying. Notwithstanding the success which may ultimately attend the prospective holding movement, every small advance for some time to come is likely to be met by increased offerings. In consequence, expectations of much higher prices in the near future may be inadvisable particularly as the premiums on the later positions are equivalent to liberal carrying charges.

In our opinion, better opportunities for acting on the constructive side of the market will present themselves and for the present we prefer sales on moderate upturns.

TRADE AND FINANCE.

WEEKLY MARKET REPORT.

MONEY:—The first indications of hardening in money rates put in an appearance this week and while the change was only slight, it gives evidence of the fact that real demand for financing crop movements is near. On the Calcutta side, jute is moving freely to mills, in spite of the fact that a large portion of the crop is being withheld from the market. The Imperial Bank of India rate of 4 per cent. continues, but call money rate has increased to 3/4 per cent. with some loans being made at 1 per cent. The fixed deposit rates were 2 per cent. for two months, 4 per cent. for six months and from 4 to 4 1/2 per cent. for twelve months.

The statement of the Imperial Bank of India as of 29th October, 1926, shows a further increase in the cash balance of Rs. 99.91 lacs, now amounting to Rs. 43,40,12,000 as compared to Rs. 24.96 crores at this time last year. The percentage of cash to liabilities is 45.58, an increase of 0.80 per cent. over last week. Loans and Cash credits were up by Rs. 12.75 lacs and Rs. 3.94 lacs, respectively, while Inland bills discounted declined by Rs. 54.14 lacs. Government deposits increased by Rs. 229.70 lacs to Rs. 13.62 crores, while other deposits were down by Rs. 187.51 lacs to Rs. 80.40 crores. The bank rate is unchanged at 4 per cent. 3/4.

The statement of the Imperial Bank of India as of 5th Nov., 1926, show a decline of Rs. 453.97 lacs in the cash balance which now totals Rs. 38,86,15,000. The percentage of cash to liabilities is 42.75, a decrease of 2.83 per cent. under last week. Govt. securities have declined by Rs. 2.94 lacs. Loans and Cash credits have again increased, the former by Rs. 3.77 lacs and the latter by Rs. 24.39 lacs, while Inland bills discounted were reduced by Rs. 9.62 lacs. Government deposits as well as other deposits were both lower, the former by Rs. 306.92 lacs to Rs. 10.55 crores, and the latter by Rs. 132.01 lacs to Rs. 79.08 crores. The bank rate continues unchanged at 4 per cent.

The market for Govt. securities was quiet and weaker. Nearly all the issues declined somewhat in prices as a result of free selling and expectations of harder money rates. 3 1/2 per cent paper declined from Rs. 77.11 to Rss. 77-5 and 1945-55 Loans from Rs. 108-9 to Rs. 108-5. 1935 and 1933 Loans also receded from Rs. 103-4 and Rs. 104-11 to Rs. 103 and 104-9 respectively. 5 1/2 per cent. 1928 Bonds were down to Rs. 107-6 per cent. Bonds, 1927 and 1930, changed hands at Rs. 101-14 and 106-14, 1931 at Rs. 108 and 1932 at Rs. 109. 6 1/2 per cent. Bombay Development Loan is quoted at Rs. 114-1. The new 4 per cent. 1960-70 Loan declined to Rs. 88-13.

The currency returns as of 7th November, 1926, show a decline of Rs. 80.05 lacs in note circulation, which stands at Rs. 192.99 crores. Silver coins have correspondingly declined by Rs. 79.94 lacs to Rs. 96.03 crores, while gold bullion and silver under coinage remain unchanged at Rs. 22.31 crores and Rss. 8.03 crores respectively. The metallic reserve ratio to circulation is 65.49 as against 65.63 a week ago.

EXCHANGE: The continued good demand for bullion and scarcity of export bills affected the exchange market adversely during the early part of the week, and a fair amount of business was done at 1s. 5-13/16d. At the close, however, the market improved to 1s. 5-27/32d. on the appearance of export bills in Calcutta. The following are the forward rates:—December 1s. 5-7/8d., January 1/5 29/32d., February March 1/5 15/16d., April 1/5 29/32d., May August 1/5 7/8d.

The dollar-sterling quotation rose to dol. 4.84-7/8 during the early part of the week, eased to dol. 4.84-3/4 but closes at dol. 4.85-1/16 with a firm tendency. The beginning of the week saw a marked advance in French Francs, which however, did not continue although the closing quotation was 150.75, compared to last week's closing price of 152.65. The "Belga" declined very slightly to 34.82 and the Italian lira weakened to 119.

GOLD.—The gold market has been steady during the week on easier exchange quotations, but the volume of business has remained very limited. The ready rate improved by about an anna per tola to Rs. 21/9. The average ofitake is still estimated at 15,000 tolas per day and the stocks on had are estimated at about 3-1/2 lacs tolas. Gold prices in London remained unchanged at 84s.-11 1/2d. The rate for sovereigns in the local market registered another increase in price to Rs. 13-9-3 both for ready and forward. In our market the highest and lowest rates during the week were Rs. 21/9 and Rs. 21/8 for ready, 20th November and 20th December settlements. The incoming mail is expected to bring £45,000 gold. Inclusive of these arrivals and exclusive of the present week's shipment the total visible supply from London to India is expected to be £65,000. The total imports during the week amounted to Rs. 931,922 in bar and coin. This week's shipment from London is expected to be £40,000.

The Transvaal gold output for September, 1926, amounted to 839,939 fine ounces, as compared to 843,854 fine ounces for August, 1926, and 797,247 fine ounces for September, 1925.

SILVER.—The silver market continued to improve during the week and prices for ready silver rose from Rs. 57-4 to Rs. 59-3 per 100 tolas. The offtake has been particularly good, due, in a large measure, to the Diwali (Hindu New Year) holidays. Support has been given the market by bear covering operations in Bombay. The China market has been inactive and while the volume of business transacted has been unimportant, the rate for T. T. on London in Shanghai advanced from 2/4 7/8d. to 2/5 1/4d. China banks operated both ways, but Sales have exceeded purchases.

The present prices of silver in India are higher than those prevailing in other world markets and as a result of this condition, there are large movements of this commodity from the principal centres to India in order to take advantage of the premium. It was only to be expected that the recent collapse in silver would be followed by a sharp reaction as such movements are usually overdone both ways. One of the important features in the silver situation to-day is the fact that in spite of recent heavy shipments to India, silver stocks in Shanghai have been increasing.

The premium between near and forward rates in Bombay widened to the extent of Rs. 1/8, but narrowed at the close to Rs. 1/4. It is estimated that the present stocks are about 4,000 bars. The daily average offtake has improved to 270 bars, the existing cheapness being an incentive to up-country buyers. In London the highest and lowest rates during the week were 25-3/8d. and 24-5/8d. for ready and 25-1/8d. and 24-3/8d. for forward. In our market the highest and lowest rates were Rs. 59/3 and Rs. 57/4 for ready, Rs. 58/14 and Rs. 57/1 for 24th November settlement and Rs. 57/12 and Rs. 55/10 for 23rd December settlement. The incoming mail is expected to bring £2,97,500 silver. Inclusive of these arrivals and exclusive of the present week's shipment the total visible supply from London to India is about £.899,500. The total imports during the week amounted to 145 bars and Rs. 24,653 in coin. This week's shipment from London is expected to be £.27,000.

SHARES.—The share market was open for three days during the week. The market was very dull one, but prices were comparatively steady. The following are the fluctuations in some of the principal shares:—Bombay Dyeings Rs. 860-853/12-860, Century Rs. 361/4-367/8; Cent. India Rs. 520-515-518/12; Crescent Rs. 171/4-163 12-167/8, Fazulbhoy Rs. 860-857/8-862/8; New Great Rs. 290-282/8-287/8; Pearls Rs. 506/4-497/8; Simplex Rs. 125-121/4-125 and Swedeshi Rs. 476/4-471/4-476/4.

The miscellaneous section was also steady with no marked rise in prices. Tata Iron Ordys and Defds were steady at Rs. 61/8 and Rs. 208/12. Andhra Valleys after declining to Rs. 691/4 closed at Rs. 715, the opening quotation. Tata Hydros improved from 1020 to Rs. 1035. Bombay Trams were steady at Rs. 128/12 xd. Bundi Cement slightly receded from Rs. 19/12 to Rs. 19, Katny Ordys from Rs. 107/8 to Rs. 101/4, while defds. were unchanged at Rs. 300. In Railway shares Amritsar Patty were quoted at Rs. 149 and Tapti Valleys at Rs. 692/8.

Bank shares improved during the week Imperial Banks registered an advance from Rs. 1,470 to Rs. 1,502/8, and Contributories from; .366/4 to Rs. 376/4. Bank of India and Central Bank shares kept steady at Rs. (74-4) and Rs. 28-6.

AMERICANS.

BOMBAY, November 12.

COTTON.—We have to record a very little change in the prices of American cotton during the last week. Last Monday, the 9th Bureau Report was issued indicating a crop of 17,918,000 bales and the 7th ginning reported showed that 11,259,000 bales were ginned upto 31st ultimo. The indicated crop was much better than generally expected and prices registered a drop of about 25 points in New York futures, but the ginning report was rather disappointing when compared with last report and prices improved 15 points over previous close. On Tuesday prices registered a small change and on Wednesday prices registered a drop of 6 to 8 8 points on better weekly weather report. Thursday prices improved 1 to 4 points and January and May positions closed at 12.43 and 12.39 respectively.

Under recommendations of the Cotton Relief Committee various schemes are drawn upon to hold cotton and at the moment, there is no pressure of forced hedge selling. At the same time American cotton at 12 cent. is considered cheap and there is sufficient buying both from trade and investors to absorb the offerings which prevents the prices going bel[illegible] cent. Speculative enterpris[illegible] of enormous supply position and we believe for some time to come prices are not likely to show any important change.

LOCAL COTTON.—Ruled quiet but steady. There are no signs of any export demand as on parity our prices are dear. Our crop being late still there are no free arrivals in the up-country markets and at the moment it appears that very little cotton will come for sale during this month. Stocks of cotton in Japan are not heavy and on any favourable turn there is likelihood of some demand coming forth from Japan. Reports of rains in Berar, frightened the bears who covered their short sales. This covering movement coupled with some office buying improved the rates for Oomra hedge contract and the difference between Oomra and Broach narrowed to about R11. In view of the absence of any export enquiry we deem it best to make conservative sales on strong markets with a view to cover only at moderate profits.

YARN-ENGLISH.—Yarns have been neglected during the week. Large estimates of American crop are responsible for total absence of business. The general sentiment is bearish and there is very little chance of any business in the near future.

YARN-JAPANESE.—There is little business passing at reduced rates. The shippers are quoting lower prices which occasionally results in actual business. However it appears that exporters are loaded with stocks and are anxious to sell but there is no demand for spots from up-country.

YARN-LOCAL.—At Diwali Murrat time some business to the extent of about 1,400 bales is reported at lower prices. Immediate outlook is not favourable at all unless prices decline as traders have little confidence in present prices.

COPPER.—Market presented a dull appearance in the last week. Stocks are fairly moderate but owing to absence of any demand from the up-country, there is very little business.

YELLOW METAL.—We have to report an uneventful week in the absence of business. The anticipated demand from the interior is not coming forward. The local stocks are not at all heavy and prices keep steady.

SUGAR.—Market developed decided firmness last week and a good turn over of business resulted at Diwali occasion. Local stocks are light which was the chief cause of hardening prices. Foreign advices are also cheerful. The general feeling is not to commit at this high level as some arrivals are expected within next four weeks. At the same time it may be said that advancing markets will lessen the demand and the holders will be compelled to carry stocks. The immediate future entirely depends upon overseas markets and the present state is likely to continue till the arrivals become large.

YARN MARKET

Bombay, Nov. 12.

The important event during the week under review is the publication of the American Bureau report which has indicated a very big crop and as a result the yarn market has been considerably affected inasmuch as the dealers have been anxious in their operations and have been looking for much lower prices yet especially due to the continued absence of demand since a very long time. Deewali sales this time have veen very disappointing in view of the fact that only 1500 bales have been done in Indian Yarns in 6¼s on the basis of 5 to 5 3/4 annas per lb., in 10¼s. on the basis of 7¼ annas per lb., and in 20s on the basis of 9 to 9¼ annas per lb. and looking to the very poor rates and the quanties sold on the Deewali occasion it seems pretty clear that the dealers have no confidence in this level of prices and so long as cotton does not remain steady for a long time the up-country buyers will hardly come in to buy on a large scale. Stocks with the mills have been large and in the absence of demand some of them are forced to make sales even at rediculous rates and even in small quantities.

English Yarns. These are selling in small lots only and in Deewali the sales are practically nil. Prices in Manchester are exceedingly high when compared with the prices in Japanese or in Indian yarns and business for forward deliveries is almost negligible. Prices for ready delivery have gone down considerably ano the dealers have been put to a heavy loss in their previous purchases.

Japanese Yarns.—The turnover in Japanese yarns has been comparatively much better than in English and in Indian yarns and although the Deewali business has been poor, say only to the extent of about 500 bales, on account of very cheap rates dealers are inclined to buy this yarn even in small lots. But for the irregular way of selling by Japanese Import Houses we believe the bulk of business should have been considerably large in this class of yarn in as much as the dealers always find it easy to sell these yarns in large quanties and at any time they like. Prices for ready as well as forward delivery have been yet declining and the Import Houses are eager sellers but if cotton remains steady the position will certainly be more healthy, Sampin have declined to some extent whereas Exchange remained firm at or about the same level.

Indian Yarns:—The position is getting more and more serious for the simple reason that in the continued absence of demand since a long time the stocks with the mills have increased whereas the buyers have been offering such low prices and for such small quantities that it is difficult for the mills to consider the same except at a loss to themselves. Reports from up-country markets have been yet very discouraging and the prices offered by them have been much lower than those ruling in Bombay. It is reported that the up-country mills have been selling their yarns at much lower rates but we beleve the qualities that they are spinning are not satisfactory and even the counts are not exact. Demand from Egypt China and other markets is very slack whereas from the interior parts of the country buying is reported to be very small. The poor turnover is more due to the absence of confidence amongst the buyers and it is believed that if cotton remains steady for a long time the demand will be in evidence as the stocks in the up-country markets are not large.

The outlook is certainly more healthy than for the last several weeks and although much more depends upon cotton we are inclined to believe that there is no room for any substantial decline in prices of yarns.

PIECE GOODS.

Bombay, Nov. 12.

We have to report a quiet but steady market for English cloth with very limited business. There are signs of scattered enquiry from upcountry but prices offered are very low. Few bales here and there have exchanged hands. The coal strike still continues but Manchester reports read betters. A good business is waiting a low prices. A further forecast of increased American cotton crop has caused a belief in lower prices.

Local mills cloth shows a slow move and except one or two mills, others are in a fix. Diwalli Murral sales are not believed to be satisfactory, but considering the reduced buying capacity, the picture is not absolutely disappointing. All sales are not recorded, but we believe the total is slightly better han generally known Japanese cloth shows no new feature except some forward purchases of sheetings at lower prices. There is very limited demand for actual.

The quotations given below are more or less nominal in the absence of business.

The quotations for the leading chops Greys and Whites are as under:—

GREY SHIRTINGS.

Ralli's Fari No. 2000	39×37	1/2/38	9	0 0
„ 10,0000	..45×	„	11	0 0
„ No. 33,000.	..45×	..	..	
„ No. 2800	37×	.. ..	..	
„ No. 4545	38×38..	..	9	0 0
„ No. 15000	44×38	..	10	0 0
„ No. 16000..		..	10	8 0
„ No. 17000 .		..	11	0 0
Graham's No. 2750	..39	..	9	0 0
„ No. 2750	..45	..	11	0 0
Dewhursts B.B.B.	..38×38 1/2..		16	0 0
„ B.B.	..38×38.. 1/2..		14	0 0
„ Rupe No. 5	..38×38 1/2		.....	
Ritchie's No. 510	..33×37 1/2 33		9	0 0
Lyon's Shunker	..39× „		..9	0 0
Fleming's 1904-1906	45,48,51×38		..14	8 0

GREY DRILLS.

Pepperell's Dragon	..29×40	..17	2 0
Ralli's "Scissors"	..29×40	..15	8 0

GREY JACONETS

Ralli No. 18 ..	..45×22	..6	0 0
„ No. 18 ..	..40×22	..5	5 0
„ No. 138 ..	..40×22	..5	0 0
„ No. 636 ..	..44×22	..5	8 0

WHITE SHIRTINGS

Liepmann's No. 1500	32×42	..17	0 0
H. B. T. C. 40,000'	..36×40	..22	8 0

WHITE MULLS

Ralli's No. 6	..41×19	..7	4 0
„ No. 60	..46×19	..8	0 0
„ No. 600	..51×19	..8	12 0
„ No. 6000	..56×19	..9	8 0
„ No. 88	..58×20	..6	2 0
„ No. 1270	..27×18	..	
„ No. 166	..39×20	..7	0 0
„ No. 818	..38×20	..7	2 0
„ No. 1440	..36×20	..4	0 0
„ No. 1703	..52×20 Net	12	12 0
„ No. 224	..44×20	..5	10 0
Ritchie's No. 1260	..27×18	..2	8 0
„ No. 119	..37×18	..3	0 0
„ No. 229	..42×18	..3	8 0
„ No. 339	..47×18	..4	0 0
„ 1K-4K38' ,43"48"53×18Aug.			
„ No. 95..	..58×20	..6	0 0
„ No. 66,999	..40×18	..	
„ No. 86,999	..40×18	..	
„ No. 775	..40×18	..4	2 0
„ No. 875	..45×18	..4	6 0
„ No. 975	..50×18	..5	2 0
„ No. 615	..50×18	..5	2 0
Graham's Balloon	..58×20	..6	2 0
Flemings No. 8080	..26×18	..	..

WHITE NAINSOOKS.

Ralli's No. 7070,9090	27×18	..	..
„ No. 6181 ..	„	..3	0 0
„ No. 1850 ..	„	..	
„ No. 1900 ..	„	..	
„ No. 2600 ..	„	..	..
„ No. 21021 ..	„	..	..
„ No. 39620T.B.	38×22	..4	6 0
Graham's Nos. 88,8888'28×18		..3	8 0
„ No. 95950-97970			
„ Saraswati	..36×18	..6	12 0
„ TipooW/WWW34×18		..4	7 0
„ No. 50000 ..	„	..4	11 0
„ No. 33340/33350/33360		..4	15 0
Lyon's No. 4545-5656			
„ 6767 ..	..26×18	..	..
Greaves' No. 8000T.B.	38×22	..	..
Ritchie s Nos. 3500-4510			
„ 5520 ..	..26×18	..2	15 0
S.W. and Co's Nos. 5800 5820			
"Motor Car" ..	..	..2	15 0

The above quotations are on Bazaar terms with discount of three and a half per cent on Grey and four per cent on White Goods.

JAPANESE GREY CLOTHS.

No. 666	Shirtings	38×38	Net	
„ 2500	Shirtings	36×..40	„	..13 8
„ 5151	„	44×0038	„	..11 0
„ 4141	„	44×38	„	.....
„ 5544	„	44×38	„	.....
„ 3800	„	44×38	„	..15 0
"C" Sheetings		..30×36	Ex. Bond	7 12
"9" Dragons		..30×36	Ex. Bond	7 12 0
"Elephant" Drills		..29×40	„	..13 12 0
"Duck" Drills		..26×40	„	..11 0 0

CHEMICALS.

Bombay, Nov. 12.

Sizing chemicals have comparatively a firm tone, though the rates of Farina, and Dextrine have been once more steady. Maize Starch kept quiet at Rs. 12/12/0, while Farina, owing to the anxiousness of stock holders is being offered at Rs. 14/8/0. Other dyeing chemicals have no further changes, since the demand is very moderate. Sago flour is very firm and C.I.F. Quotations have rapidly gone up to Rs. 10/10/0 per cent. c.i.f Bombay Harbour.

Quotations.—

Soda Caustic 98 per cent Rs. 17/6/0.
Soda Sulphide German Rs. 9/8/0.
Soda Hydrosulphide Rs. 0/12/6.
Soda Bichromate Rs. 27/0/0.
Salt Aniline Rs. 0/7/6.
Salt Antimony Rs. 0/7/0.
Salt Epsom Rs. 3/6/0.
Salt Glauber Rs. 4/8/0.
Potash Chlorate Rs. 0/3/6.
Potash Bichromate Rs. 32/0/0.
Chloride Magnesium Rs. 5/2/0.
Acid Acetic Rs. 0/7/4.
Acid Sulphuric Rs. 1/6/0.
Sago Flour White Rs. 12/12/0.
Farina Dutch Rs. 14/12/0.
Maize Starch Conti. Rs. 12/12/0.
Dextrine Dutch Rs. 17/12/0.
Liquor Ammonia Rs. 0/8/6.
Alumina Sulphate Rs. 6/8/0.
Litharge Rs. 32/8/0.
Alum of Chrome Rs. 13/0/0.
Sugar lead Brown Rs. 35/0/0.
Sugar lead White Rs. 42/0/0.
Bleaching Powder German Rs. 11/8/0.

MILL STORES.

Bombay. Nov. 12

Mill Stores market has evinced no interest in the course of the week. Prices ruled featureless with very limited spot demand. Japanese Bobbins ruled quiet. Bandings, Ropes, Pickers, Picking Bands and other sundry stores kept unaltered. Market in general is very quiet.

Quotations are:—

Heads—15/40S-32 to 56s Re. 1/0/0.
Reeds steel—32 to 56s Rs. 0/2/4.
Reeds steel—28s Rs. 0/3/6.
Elastic Healds Rs. 19/0/0.
Wire Healds Rs. 2/12/0.
Cloth Roller—16 oz. Kenion Rs. 7/12/0.
Flannel Sizing-Plain 72 Kenion Rs. 3/11/0
Flannel Sizing-Twill 66 Kenion Rs. 3/8/0
Flannel Sizing-Plain 77 Kenion Rs. 3/11/0
Flannel Sizing-Twill 72 Kenion Rs. 3/11/0
Bandings—card-rim—scroll Rs. 1/1/0.
Bandings—Tubular No. 3s Rs. 1/10/0.
Bandings Spindle 3 ply. Rs. 1/4/0.
Pickers—No. 4 English Rs. 56/0/0.
Picking Nands hairy Rs. 1/15/0.
Bobbins—Slubbings—Jap. Rs. 25/0/0.
Bobbins—Rovings—Jap. Rs. 17/8/0.
Bobbins—Conical-5" Jap. Rs. 6/0/0.
Bobbins—Ring-6" Jap. Rs. 8/8/6.
Bobbins—Ring-5" Jap. Rs. 6/0/0.
Bobbins—Weft-5 3/8" Jap. Rs. 5/4/0
Bobbins—Weft-6" Jap. Rs. 6/0/0.
Bobbins—Slub. Skwers Rs. 9/8/0.
Fillets—Emery Rs. 0/2/3.

SUGAR MARKET REPORT.

Bombay, Nov. 12.

The stocks of ready sugars are very light and with good demand prices have been advanced by 4d. per cwt. all round. During the Diwali the sympathy with higher prices for ready sugars a large business was done in White Javas October at sh. 17/6 to sh. 17/9, November/December at sh. 17/4 to sh. 17/6 and January/March at sh. 17/3 to sh. 17/9, all Free Bombay Harbour terms. A good quantity of B. R. B. was done for October at sh. 17/6 to sh. 17/8 November/December at sh. 17/3 to sh. 17/5 and January/March at sh. 17/5 to sh. 17/7 F. B. H. A small quantity of Belgian Granulated and Continental Beet changed hands for November/December at sh. 17 to sh. 17/2 F. B. H. A large business was also done for Jamnagar in White Javas at sh. 18 to sh. 18/5 c.i.f. for December/January shipment respectively. A good business was done in New Crop 1927 Javas for June shipment at sh. 16/9 to sh. 17/. and July/September at sh. 16/4 to sh. 16/7 all F. B. Harbour terms.

Karachi and Calcutta which were ruling quiet have shown good interest and prices in both the markets have gone up by 6d. to 9d. per cwt. all round with fair business doing. Java reported a steadier market with good business passing. America and London were also strong with good business passing.

The following are the Bazar rates and stocks:—

T M O Rs. 17/3 eq. sh. 17/9 F B Harbour stocks 20,000 bags.
T M O October sh 17/8 F B Harbour.
T M O Nov/Dec. sh. 17/6 F B Harbour.
T M O Jan/Mar. sh. 17/8 F B Harbour.
T M O June sh. 17/ F B Harbour.
T M O July/Sept. sh. 16/8 F B Harbour.
B R B Nov/Dec. sh. 17/4½ F B Harbour.
B R B Jan/Mar. sh. 17/6 F B Harbour.
Beet Nov/Dec. sh. 17/ F B Harbour.

CALCUTTA SHARE MARKET

JUTES RULE FIRM.

CALCUTTA, Nov. 11.

In the share market in jutes with continued bullish operations mostly on behalf of professional speculators, this section ruled firm throughout the day at fully yesterday's closing rates. In coals Equitable were marked up while Burrakurs are the turn better. In teas a small turnover resulted at unchanged rates. Industrials and Midnapore Zemindary are about 3 points better but others shew no change, while U. P. Electrics advanced over 15 points. In banks Imperial Bank fully paid up are firm at late rates. The Government securities were rather in bukers' favour. Following were to-day's closing quotations:—

Government securities:—6 per cent. bonds 1930, 107.

Banks:—Eastern Bank 84, Imperial Bank fully paid 1508.

Railways:—Bukhtiarpur Bihar Light Railway 102.

Jutes:—Alliance 532, Anglo India 413/8, Auckland 282. Cally pref. 105, Barnagore 200, Budge Budge 522, Champdany 176, Cheviot 307, Clive 38/4, Craig 5/4, Dalhousie 463/8, Delta 562, Fort William 336, Ganges 437, Gondalpara 1025, Howrah 44/10. Hukumchand ord. 13/12, Kamarhatty 671/8, Kanknarrah 523, Kelvin 870, Kinnison 1015, Lansdowne 300, do pref. 117, Lawrence 591, National 32/4, Northbrook 56/8, Nuddea 48/12, Orient 266, Presidency 8/6, Reliance 74/8, Standard 493.

Coals:—Burra Dhemo 4, Burrakur 21/10, Bo'mpore 2/4, Equitable 20/10, Jainty Central 5/4, Nazira 11/8, Pench Valley 27, Union 17/4.

Miscellaneous:—U. P. Electric 136, Indian Iron and Steel 6/6, Delhi Flour 4/8, Madan Theatres 4/2, Midnapore Zemindary 144.

Tea Companies:—Bishnauth 35/8, East India 25, Joybirpara 27/8, Soom 24, Sungma, 12/10.

Exchange bank telegraphic transfer was 1sh. 5 12/16d. to 1sh. 27/32d. pence and demand bills were 1sh. 5 2/8d.—A P

EAST INDIA COTTON ASSN. LTD.

BOMBAY WEEKLY STATISTICS.

Bombay, 12th November 1926

Receipts for the week ending Nov. 11

	1926. Bales.	1925 Bales.
Bengals	1591	19117
Oomras	615	20459
Dholleras	51	3245
Broach	..	..
Southerns	181	468
Persians	..	1
Americans	628	..
Egyptians	..	..
E. Africans	708	1050
Other sorts	..	..
Total	3804	44340

Exports for the week ending Nov. 11

	Bales.
United Kingdom	1
Continent	3766
China	7013
Japan	9327
Coast Ports	51
Total ..	20158
Afloat in Harbour	
Europe	770
China, Japan and Coast Ports	..
Total ..	770

Receipts from 1st Sept. to 11th Nov

1926	1925	1924	1923	1922
82475	153538	68629	107902	94051

Exports from 1st Sept. to 11th Nov.

	1926	1925	1924
United Kingdom	216	6033	3072
Continent ..	44793	64240	28545
China	7713	4210	3100
Japan	22930	58020	115941
Coast Ports ..	2733	3794	5334
U. S. A.	1	50	..
Total	78386	136347	155932

1923	1922
39289)	112340
137781)	
13512	3525
92291	155615
513	7529
..	..
Total 287386	279009

Total exports by rail 1st sept. to 11th Nov. (22903 ..... 22,909 Bales.

Estimated Mill consumption in Bombay from 1st Sept. to 11th Nov. 1926 1,89,856

Estimated stock of raw cot on held by Exporters, Dealers and Mills in Bombay on 11th Nov. 1926. 2,17,844

NOTE—The figures of shipments are prepared carefully from the returns available but are subject to correction on publication of ships manifests.

GOVERNMENT SECURITIES.

Bombay, Nov. 12.

3 1/2 per cent Rupee Paper Rs. 77/6.
4 per cent Conversion Loan Rs. 95.
4 per cent Loan Rs. 88/13.
5 per cent War Loan Rs. 102/2.
5 per cent Loan Rs. 103.
5 per cent Loan (Tax Free) Rs. 104/9.
5 per cent Loan (Tax Free) Rs. 108/4.
5 1/2 per cent War Bonds (Tax Free) Rs. 107.
6 per cent Bonds (Tax Free) Rs. 101/14.
6 per cent Bonds (Tax Free) Rs. 106/14.
6 per cent Bonds (Tax Free Rs. 108.
6 per cent Bonds (Tax Free) Rs. 109.
6 1/2 per cent B'bay Devp. Loan (Tax Free) Rs. 114/1.
4 per cent Port Trust Rs. 88/8.
4 per cent Municipal Rs. 87/8.
4 per cent Improvement Trust Rs. 87/8
3 per cent Bombay Municipal Rs. 113/8.
6 per cent Municipal Rs. 104.
Tone of Market:—Quiet.

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BOMBAY CITY AND SUBURBS.

ENGAGEMENT,

TO-DAY.

Polling Day for Bombay City Mahomedan Constituency 8 a.m. to 12 noon, 1 p.m. to 6 p.m.

Indian National Party's Election Meeting, Marwadi Vidyalaya 6.15 p.m.

Polling Stations for Bombay City Mahomedan Constituency Elections.

A—D—C—Wards. Elphinstone High School, Dhobi Talao.

B—Ward, Umerkhadi Jail.

E—Ward, The Old Byculla Girls' School, Parel Road.

F. and G.—Wards, Damodher Thakersey Hall, Elphinstone Road, Parel.

POSTAL NOTICE.

Mails from Australia viâ Dhanushkodi for Bombay are due here on Sunday, the 14th November, 1926.

PRIZE DISTRIBUTION OF SCHOOL.

The annual prize distribution ceremony of the Gokhle Education Society's Parel Night School, will take place on Sunday (14th inst.), at 8-30 a.m. in The Damodar Hall, Parel. Mr. Dhondu Gunaji Sheth Kokate, of the Morarjee Goculdas Mills, will preside.

IMPERIAL BANK OF INDIA.

The First Annual General Meeting of the Imperial Bank of India Indian Staff Association, Bombay Circle, will be held to-day (Saturday) at 5 p.m. in the Sir Vithaldas Thackersey Memorial Institute Hall, Fort, Bombay, Mr. M. R. Jaykar, Bar.-at-Law has kindly consented to preside.

CITY'S HEALTH

The following statement shows the total mortality from 6 a.m. of Thursday to 6 a.m. of Friday: Small pox attack 1, death 0; crolera attack 0, death 0; plague attack 0, death 0; influenza attack 0, death 0. Total mortality (exclusive of the stillborn) 92.

Total mortality this day last year was 55.

MALABAR CATHOLIC ASSOCIATION.

The proposed pilgrimage to Mount Mary's Bandra by the Catholics of Malabar has been fixed to take place on Sunday (the 14th instant.) A procession will be formed at 10-30 a.m. and will start from half way up the hill to the church. The solemn high mass will be celebrated at 11 0 a.m.

GLORIA CHURCH.

The titular feast of the Church of N. S. da Gloria, Byculla, takes place on Sunday, (14th instant), with solemn High Mass with Exposition, Procession and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament at 9 a.m. preceded by Solemn Vespers on Saturday evening at 6-30. The Righ Rev. Mgr. S. O. Xavier will officiate on both days and the preacher on Sunday will be the Rev. O de Sa.

STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

The B. I. s.s. "Mnela" which left London on the 30th ultimo passed Suez on the morning of the 11th instant.

The P. and O. mail steamer "Ranpura" arrived London on Thursday, the 11th instant.

The Clan Line s.s. "Morrison" arrived at London on the afternoon of the 10th instant.

"WHY I BECAME A CHRISTIAN."

The Superintendent of the Lady Northcote Hindu Orphanage writes: The proprietors of the Imperial Cinema at Lamington Road, have kindly agreed to show "free of charge" the film "Why I became a Christian" to all the Boy Scouts and Girl Guides in Bombay who desire to see it to-morrow (Srnday) at 9 o'clock (S.T.) in the morning. Those who are in their uniform will only be admitted.

B. P. C. C. ELECTION SUB-COMMITTEE

Under the auspices of the Bombay Provincial Congress Committee and the Bombay Branch of the Swarajya Party there will be a public meeting at the Congress House Compound, 414, Girgaum Back Road, to-day (Saturday) at 6.30 p.m. (S.T.) when Messrs. B. G. Horniman and K. F. Nariman will speak on the coming Legislative Assembly Elections. Mrs. Sarojini Naidu will Preside.

DADAR CO-OPERATIVE INSTITUTE.

The ollowing is this week's programme of lectures for the English Training Class in Co-operation:

To-day (Saturday) (1) 5 to 6 p.m. "Friendly Benefits and Thrifts" by Prof. K. L. Kaji; (2) 6 to 7 p.m. "Co-operative Insurance" by Prof. Kaji.

Sunday (Nov. 14) (1) 8.30 to 9.30 a.m. "Co-operation Abroad" by Mr. C. S. Deole; (2) 9.30 to 10.30 a.m. "State in Relation to Co-operative Movement" by Mr. Deole.

PRATA PTROOP 67 BOMBAY.

The Scouts of the Pratap Troop of the Lady Northcote Hindu Orphanage were on hike of 40 miles on foot in front of Scoutmaster Rane S. P. and Rover Mate, Sawant D. D.

The party started from E. H. School on Tuesday, the 9th instant, at 4.30 a.m. and reached Kurla at 8 a.m. and returned to the same place viâ Vihar Lake, Andheri and points over previous close. On Tuesday Bandra on Wednesday 10th at 10 a.m. i

THE PROBLEM OF 'NERVAS.'

SAFEGUARD AGAINST DISEASE OF THE AGE.

There is no denying that nervous disorders have become much more common than they were before the war. We have no statistics to prove their increase; but, judging by one fact alone, the extraordinary number of physicians who now specialise in the treatment of psycho-neuroses as compared with pre-war days, we must assume a corresponding increase in the number of patients' writes Dr. Berhard Hollander in the "Daily Express."

This is not surprising when we take into consideration the worry and anxiety caused by the increased cost o f living and the intense competition in all pursuits, making it difficult for more and more people to maintain their position. On the other hand, those without responsibilities have grown much more reckless, more eager for luxury, gaieties, and new sensations. Self-control and self-denial are things of the past.

Compare this age with the people of a former generation, of, say, fifty years ago, with their contentment, their veneration for authority, their stricter morals and obedience! To-day, moral and religious convictions, which gave a support to the character have gone. It is all doubt and a conflict of emotions. The air is filled with distrust and discontentment, with strife between employers and employees, with cries for equality of enjoyment, which means lesser hours and higher wages, greater cost of production, and diminished trade.

People are afraid to overwork themselves. But hard work alone has never hurt any one with a normal constitution. The man who attends to his duties free from worry anxiety, or other depressing emotions is not likely to fall a victim to nervous exhaustion The work that over-drives and exhausts is work done inefficiently, or accompanied by care for the morrow, or by fear of failure We wear ourselves out by the anxious thought regarding the adjustment of work, and by nervous irritation at the failure to accomplish an impossible task. The fatigue caused by work alone is soon recovered from after a rest. Not so the tired feeling of undue weariness after moderate or even light exertion, caused by disturbing emotions. This soon makes activity become painful.

One of the first signs of nervous exhaustion is a failure of attention and consequently of memory. With consciousness of one's debility there comes introspection, in decision, irresolution, and self-depreciation Sensibility becomes greatly exaggerated and mental irritability is a common symptom. Such persons cannot meet the ordinary ills of life with a normal degree of fortitude; they grow discouraged easily magnify every obstacle, and profess inability to surmount it. They seem incapable to look at questions calmly. Slight troubles affect them seriously and grave ones cause profound depression, until all the joys of life get drowned in a sea of anxiety.

The healthy man plans how to get over his difficulties; that is purely intellectual exercise. On the other hand, the man suffering from nervous exhaustion starts worrying, which means thinking governed by an anxious feeling. It means emotional strain, and emotions are not like thoughts, limited to the brain, but effect the bodily organs as well; that is why worry, anxiety fear, disappointments, remorse, in a word, all states of sorrow and disquiet, exhaust the nervous energy, and in a person already enfeebled increase still more his incapacity All anxious emotions, if too long indulged in, have the effect of lowering the health and weakening the mental control. Work alone never killed a man, but anxiety drives many thousands of men and women to an early grave.

The man suffering from nervous exhaustion becomes over-responsive to the workings of his own vital processes as well as to the jars of the world outside. Often he is subject to morbid fears, particularly as to his health, which is lowered by his chronic anxiety, and he gets his mind concentrated on some physical sensation or slight ailment, which to his imagination assumes a grave and significant character. If a man gets the idea that there is something the matter with an organ, and concentrates his attention on it, he will surely disturb the function of that organ. He will contract a physical disorder, though the cause is mental. On the other hand, if there be a real disease, he is apt to aggravate it by his destructive emotions and unharmonious thoughts.

All disturbing emotions upset the Involuntary nervous system and through it the internal glandular secretions, and this tends to vitiate the blood. Moreover such emotions render respiration superficial and unnatural, and circulation unequal. They raise the blood pressure, give the heart more work to do, cause it to be irregular and rapid, and expose the person to a sudden collapse. With the onset of nervous exhaustion there is frequently loss of sleep or disturbed sleep, loss of appetite and defective digestion. Often such persons get obsessed by their gastric symptoms and sit in judgment upon every article of food presented to them. Yet it is not the stomach which is at fault, but the mental conflict raging in the patient. Therefore it is of less importance what he eats and drinks than what his disturbed brain activity makes him think If mental hygiene were studied and followed as seriously as physical hygiene, there would be fewer nervous and mental disorders Often a dose of philosophy is better for such people than a dose of medicine.

It is unfortunate that most nervous people lack the sense of humour. It is needed for the proper enjoyment of life and for the confronting of life's difficulties. The humorous man views not alone the world, but himself, humorously, and such a spirit is incapable of hatred and bitterness. Humour, cheerfulness, optimism, keep the vitality alert and active, and deflect our thoughts from the unpleasant and material. Instead of trusting to external sources of pleasure we should manufacture our own joy from within.

Most of us need to practise the art of minimising our difficulties, not to look at obstacles with a magnifying glass, not to become greatly disturbed by the little ripples of life which pass through our experience from day to day, and to widen our field of vision and broaden our sphere of interests A great many people have brains far too big for their needs. If they do not employ them in practical work or hobbies their brains will be active all the same, but with thoughts and feelings not of their choosing undesired and possibly undesirable ideas and sensations, and that way lies lack of balance and the source of half the troubles and ills of life. A congenial hobby demanding the attention would furnish a healthy channel for the thoughts and crowd out morbid fancies. The perpetual need of activity lies in the nature of mind. As the Chinese proverb puts it: "The dog confined to its kennel, that cannot spend itself in the chase, barks at its own fleas."

Prevention of the common nervous disorders would best be secured if each individual were to learn in his youth already the difficult art of facing life as it is, and not as it is hoped, expected, or feared it may become. This would doaway also with a great deal of the unrest which has got hold of the present generation. Many of the failures in life are failures of adjustment, and could be avoided if we adapted ourselves early to our own activities and to our environment, whereby we should gain peace and happiness. Peace of mind is no less essential for health than fresh air and exercise.

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET.

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MAY.

12th November, 1926.

Previous Closing Rate	12.89
To-day's Opening Rate	12.87
Difference	+.02
To-day's Closing Rate	13.15
Difference	+.26

LIVERPOOL MARKET.

MAY.

12th November, 1926.

Previous Closing Rate	6.91
To-day's Opening Rate	6.99
Difference	+.08
To-day's Closing Rate	6.97
Difference	+.06

Sewri	255
Khandi	256

CALCUTTA SHARE MARKET.

COALS STEADY.

CALCUTTA, Nov. 12.

In the share market in jutes although there was a large turnover at steady rates it was perhaps not quite so hard to find sellers as it has been recently. As the session progressed, however, the market again hardened and the close was firm at the best of the day. Coals were steady unchanged although a fair enquiry for good companies was apparent. Teas were quiet. Industrials show no new feature. In banks Imperial Banks are steady. Government Securities were rather in buyers' favour. Rooms of stock exchange will remain closed on Monday, 15th instant on account of Hindu festival Jagatdhatri Puja. Following were to-day's closing quotations:—

Government Securities:—3 1|2 per cent. Government paper Rs. 77|10, 4 per cent. new loan 1960|70 88|11, 5 per cent. bonds 1933 104|12, 5 per cent. loan 1945|55 108|6.

Banks:—Eastern Bank 84|8, Imperial Bank fully paid Rs. 1,500.

Railways:—Arrah Sasaram Light Railway 87, Howrah-Amta Light Railway Rs. 150.

Jutes:—Albion 515, Alliance 533, Anglo India 412|8, Bally 229|8, Barnagore 199, Budge Budge 515, Caledonian 583, Cheviot 309, Clive 38|2, Craig 4|15, Dalhousie 453, Delta 563, Fort Glaster 875, Fort William 333, Howrah 44|6, Hukumchand ord. 13|11, Kamarhatty 362, Kankinarrah 529, Kelvin 815, Lansdowne 299|8, National 32|4, Naihati 485, Northbrook 55, Nuddea 47, Orient 256, Reliance 75, Standard 489

Coals:—Amalgamated Coalfields 4|4, Bansdeopur 27|4, Bengal 500, Bengal Nagpore 65|8, Barrakur 21|12, Demagurria 12, Equittable 20|4, Raneegunge 33|4, Standard 55.

Miscellaneous:—Burma Corporation 10|4, Bengal Telephone ord. 9|8, Indian Iron and Steel 6|8, Marshall and Co. 3|10, B. I. Corporation ord. 4|12, Madan Theatres 4|2, Midnapore Zemindary 143|8, Assam Saws annas 12, Bengal Assam Steamship ord. 227.

Tea Companies:—Chandypore 170, Tukvar 35|4.—A. P.

KOLHAPUR RACES.

FOURTH AUTUMN MEETING.

SHIVAJI PRASAD'S BRILLIANT VICTORY.

KOLHAPUR, November 12.

The Kolhapur Autumn Meeting was brought to a conclusion this afternoon, in the presence of a good gathering, and in somewhat unpleasant weather. Seven events were down on the card and only two clear and one second favourite justified the expectations, and on exchanges, bookmakers had better of the backers. The principal events of the day were Rajah Narsing Girji Cup for Arabs which was won by H. H. the Maharajah of Kolhapur's Shivaji Prasad ridden by Herbert, and S. S. Akka Saheb Maharajah Cup for countrybreds which was won by Mr. Mahomed's Postern S. Black up.

Following are the details:

BAWDA PLATE.—Distance 5 furlongs.

Winner R1,500; second R50; and third R250.

Handicap for Arabs in Class III

Mr. Barve's HOOJAZ 7st. 3lbs. Bunnetta 1
Nawab Mir Mahadi Ali Khan Baradur's HIRACHAND 7st. 12lbs. Thompson . 2
Mr. Joshi Rao's AMRI 9st. 7lbs. Barnett 3
Mr. Mahomed's WAHAB 8st. 5lbs. Clarke 4

Also Ran.—Taimarlung 9st. 6lbs.; Bakhit 8st. 6lbs.; Sooroor 7st. 10lbs.; Knight Bachelor 7st. 6lbs.; Benares 7st. 6lbs.

Betting.—2 to 1 against each Amrin and Wahab, 5 to 2 Tairmulung, 6 Knight Bachelor, sevens each Bakhit, Hirachand and Hoojaz, eights and tens others.

Won by neck, half length, head.

Time.—1 min., 23 secs.

Totalisator paid R32|4 for win, R7|8, R5|12 and R3|8 for places.

MAHALAXMI PLATE.—Distance 1 mile.

Winner R1,500, second R500, and third R250.

Handicap for Arabs in Classes II and III.

H. H. the Maharajar of Kolhapur's DURBAR 8st. 2lbs. Herbert 1
Mr. Banaji's FERDINAND 8st. 8lbs. Clarke 2
Mr. M. Ebrahim's NADDAS 8st. 10lbs. S. Black 3
Mr. Patel's AMAR 9st. 4lbs. Barnett .. 4

Also Ran.—Sultan Beg 9st. 12lbs.; Dawood 9st. 4lbs.; Cheeroi 9st. 4lbs.; Furlong 8st. 5lbs.; Lucknow 7st. 5lbs.; Gatia 7st. 2lbs.

Betting.—2 to 1 against Durbar, fours each Amar, Cheerio, Fordinand and Gatia, sevens Sultan Beg, eights and tens others.

Won by one and half length, half length neck.

Time.—1 minute, 52 secs.

Totalisator paid R5|8 for win, R4|4 4|4 and R5|8 for places.

CUTT PLATE.—Distance 5 furlongs.

Winner R1,500; second R500; and third R250.

Handicap for horses in Classes III and IV.

Mr. Barve's HEADSTRONG 7st. 11lb. Beshman 1
H. H. the Maharajah of Kolhapur's ADOUR 8st. 8lbs. Herbert 2
Mr. Mahomed's OJIRA 9st. 8. Black.... 3

Also Ran.—Mary's Lamb 9st. 7lbs. Eze 7st. 7lbs.

Betting.—Two to one on Adour, two to one against Mary's Lamb, fours Headstrong, fives Ojira.

Won by head, half lesgth.

Time.—1 min. 2 1|5 secs.

Totalisator paid R9|8 for win, R3|12 and R3 for places.

RAJAH NARSING GIRJI CUP.—Distasce 1 mile.

Cup value R500, presented by Mr. Dharajagirji Raja Narsingirji, and R1,700 from the fund.

Winner the cup, and R1,200; second R300 and third R200.

Handicap for Arabs in Classes II and III.

H. H. the Maharaja of Kolhppur's SHIVAJI PRASAD 7st. 13lbs. Herbert .. 1
Mr. S. Mahal's MOOSAAD 8st. 12lbs. Howell 2
Mr. Barve's SUCCESS 8st. 12lbs. Barnett 3
Mrs. Raynean's AMARA 8st. 7lbs. T. Hill 4

Also Ran.—Mooltan 9st. 4lbs.; Maxim 9st. 2lbs.; Hamir 9st.; Jehangir 8st. 9lbs.; Outlaw 6st. 11lbs.

Betting.—Six to four on Jehangir, six to four against Shivaji Prasad, twos Moosaad, fours Success, fives Mooltan, sixes and eights

Won by one and quarter length, half length neck.

Time.—1 min. 53 secs.

Totalisator paid R7|4 for win, R3, R3|4 and R3 for places.

S. S. AKKA SAHEB MAHARAJ CUP.—Distance 1 1|4 miles.

Cup value R300 presented by S. S. Akka Saheb Maharaj and R1,700 from the fund.

Winner cup and R1,200, second R300; and third R200.

Handicap for countrybreds.

Mr. Mahomed's POSTERN 9st. 10lbs., S. Black 1
H, H, the Maharajah of Kolhapur's SHEVANTI 7st. 4lbs. Beshman 2
Capt. Darcy's LILAC 8st. 10lbs. Hoyt .. 3

Also Ran.—Shirtaj 10st. 2lbs.; Bhopal Hope 8st. 11lbs.; Sunbean 7st. 7lbs.

Betting.—Six to four on Postern, five to two against Shirtaj, fours each Lilac and Bhopal Hope, fives Sherwant tens Sunbeam.

Won by two and half lengths, half length.

Time.—2 mins. 22 secs.

Totalisator paid R6|4, for win, R3|12 and R5|4 for places.

PALACE PLATE.—Distance 1 mile.

Winner R1,500, second R500; and third R250.

Handicap for horses in Classes III and IV.

Mr. Barve's BLYTH BACHELOR 9st. 3lbs. Bennett 1
Mr. Mehta's ERINITE 9st. 11b. Beshman 2
Mr. Andrade's PRINCE HAMED 9st. 5lbs. MacPherson 3

Also Ran.—Steel Blue 8st. 10lbs., Fair Slave 8st. 9lbs.; Long Leaf 8st. 9lbs. Dugald Dalgetty 7st. 11lbs.

Betting.—Three to one against Fair Slave, fours each Blyth Bachelor, Erinite and Longleaf, fives Prince Hamed, sixes Steel Blue and tens Dugald Dalgetty.

Won by neck, half length.

Time.—1 minute, 45 secs.

Totalisator paid R7|4 for win, R4|12 and R5|12 for places.

GOODBYE PLATE.—Distance 6 furlongs.

Winner R1,200, second R300, and third R200.

Handicap for Arab ponies 14 hands and under in Classes III.

Mr. Mahomed Jeweser's MOHAB LILL 7st. 9lbs. Clarke 1
Mr. Abbas' MUSAL 9st. 3lbs. Beshman. 2
Mr. Mashal's FAVOURITE 9st. 2lbs. T. Hill 3
Mr. Eve's SHANGHAI 8st. 13lbs. C. Hoyt 4

Also Ran.—Miloo 9st. 4lbs.; Ramban 9st. 3lbs.; Sad 8st. 12lbs.; Bakhit 8st. 3lbs.; D. George 8st. 2lbs.; Favil 8st.; Tiffab 7st. 12lbs.; Zoba 7st. 5lbs.

Betting.—Three to one against Musal fours each Miloo and Shanghai fives Saad sixes Bakhit eights each Ramban Favourite and Favil, tens each D. George Tiffah Mohul Hill, twentys Zoba.

Won by one length, three-quarter length, half length.

Time.—1 min., 24 secs.

Totalisator paid R42 for win, R13|2 R4 and R3 for places.—A. P.

TATA STEEL DISPUTE.

PREFERENCE SHAREHOLDERS' SCHEME.

Before Mr. Justice Mirza at the High Court yesterday a petition was presented by Messrs. Wadia Ghandhy and Co. solicitors on behalf of the Tata Iron and Steel Co to fix a date for sanctioning the proposed scheme relating to the second preference shareholders.

Mr. Manekshaw, solicitor, stated that they only wanted the court's directions regarding the date of hearing of the petition and of the notice to be given in that behalf.

Mr. A. D. Shamdassani who appeared as a party concerned brought to his Lordship's notice the English practice which, he submitted, should be observed in this case, viz, that when there is no unanimity among the shareholders as to the passing of the scheme every shareholder had a right to be furnished, free of cost, with a copy of the petition on which the court's sanction was sought. It woul present no difficulty, he added, to have the petition printed and circulated among the shareholders to enable them to support or oppose the scheme.

The solicitors of the Co. having promised to furnish to Mr. Shamdassani and others who wanted it free cpies of the petition, his Lordship fixed Thursday 29th inst. for hearing the petition, and directed the petitioners to get the order of the Chief Justice as to who should hear the petition.

It is understood that 1270 shareholders have voted for the scheme and 1247 against it. The dissentients, it is stated, are challenging the validity of some of the votes recorded in favour of it with a view to have a majority.

TODAY'S ELECTION MEETING.

In view of the elections to the Legislative Assembly, a public meeting under the auspices of the Indian National Party will be held at the Marwadi Vidyalaya, Sandhurst Road, Girgaum, on Saturday, the 13th instant, at 6 p.m. (S.T.)

Mr. Jehangir B. Petit, J. P., will preside and Messrs. M. A. Jinnah and K. Natarajan will address the meeting.

GUJARAT ART EXHIBITION.

In the report of the speech delivered at the Gujerat Art Exhibition, Surat, and which appeared under the sub-heading "I have faith in ancient culture" in our issue of the 11th instant (Dak Edition), the name of the speaker shorld be read as Prof. N. R. Malkani of the Gujarat Vidyapeth.

In the report of another lecture which was also delivered at the Gujerat Art Exhibition and which was published in our issue of the 10th instant (Dak Edition) the portion beginning with the sub-heading "Folk Out" was an extract from Mr. D. W. Ditchburn's lecture.

PATHE CINEMA.

To be successful at marriage one must apply the same rule as to any other business: 100 per cent. concentration.

This is the theme embodied in "Daring Youth," the current attraction at the Royal Opera House presented by B. F. Zeidman and distributed through Principal Pictures Corporation. Unlike the ordinary screen treatise on domestic relations it embodies a large percentage of comedy with its drama and affords an evening of unusual entertainment.

The star of the production is Bebe Daniels, often called "the girl with the limpid eyes," Her leading man is Norman Kerry of "The Merry Go Round" fame. Lee Moran, famous vaudeville double, plays an important secondary role.

"Daring Youth" has just commenced a run at the Royal Opera House. It will be shown for one week.

Men and Matters.

The Nobel prize which has been awarded to Bernard Shaw for literature is the despair as well as the ambition of authors and scientists. The late Alfred B. Nobel, the Swedish inventor of dynamite left his fortune of over £2,000,000 to found a fund from which the interest was directed to be distributed annually to those who had contributed most to the benefit of mankind in the preceding year. A board of directors—all Swedes—resides in Stockholm, and gives each year the amount of money required for the awards in the departments of physics, chemistry, medicine, Literature and peace. Each of these Nobel prizes is worth about £8,000. These prizes are open to all nations without restriction of sex.

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The first three of these prizes are for eminence in physical science, in chemistry and in medical science or physiology. The fourth is for the most remarkable literary work of an idealistic character and the fifth is to be given to the person or society that renders the greatest service to the cause of international brotherhood, in the suppression or reduction of standing armies, or in the establishment or furtherance of peace Congresses. The awards were first made in December 1901 and have been continued annually. Among the recipients have been the late Theodore Roosevelt, Maurice, Maeterlinck, ex-President Wilson, Rudyard Kipling, W. B. Yeats and Dr. Rabindranath Tagore. Last year the Nobel Peace prize was not awarded and Mahatma Gandhi's name was suggested for the same.

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G. B. S. is the only competitor William Shakespeare is likely to find in the race for the first prize for England's greatest dramatist. Admirers of Bernard Shaw are emphatic—and their number is legion—in saying that G. B. S. is even greater than Wm. Shakespeare. It is understood that G. B. S. is of opinion that they are right.

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Bernard Shaw has been described as "journalist, critic, novelist, playwright, agitator". The subjects in which he is interested are given in "Who's Who in Literature" as philosophy, theology, politics, economics, fine arts including music. The additional and interesting information is provided that as regards "Agents", he has none. "Transacts his own business". And considering the fame and the fortune he has amassed, he is doing it exceptionally well Mr. H. J. Wells' latest character Williams Clissold has the following to say about G. B. S. "Shaw alone I read with interest; a perverse but entertaining Manichean, an elusive wit, who took refuge from solid sober expression on platform or behind the glare of the footlights and then repented and came back in a preface to say plainly all he had not said plainly—a preface that itself became forthwith as tricky as platform speech. But always in the clearest easiest English prose that was itself a delight to me".

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Sha says that you can attract the Englishman's attention only by telling him the truth in a grotesque manner. "I am a typical Irishman", he remarked once, "my parents came from Yorkshire". And the English became interested in his views on Ireland.

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Unfortunately for the success and encouragement of private enterprise, we are informed that the Police are busy drafting proposals the natural result of which would be to scotch competition altogether and give the Tramway Company a practical monopoly of the bus business in Bombay. It appears that the authorities are going to lay down a very hard and fast rule that only two-tonner vehicles of a definite make shape and size will be allowed to ply. The cost of supplying two-tonner vehicles, each priced in the region of Rs. 12,000 to Rs. 15,000, is clearly prohibitive and within the means only of wealthy trusts and corporations like the Tramway Company.

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At present one can travel from the Crawford Market to the Afghan Church, a distance of 2 miles for 3 annas. But with private companies running their own service one can easily visualise a near future where bus travelling under the stress of a healthy competition, will be cheaper and quicker. Both on grounds of fairness and economy the proposed regulations cannot be justified and we trust the City Fathers will prevent the passing of a measure which is intended to foster a monoly of a wealthy corporation at the cost of the travelling public and to the scotching of private enterprise.

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In the city of Calcutta bus companies of greater or smaller degree serve the needs of the public and travelling there is cheap and popular. As long as the buses that ply for hire are safe and serviceable, any regulation in regard to tonnage and poundage is drawing the line beyond the margin of propriety. The Bombay Bus Company run their smaller buses on safe and comfortable lines and other companies should be encouraged to follow suit.

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SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 13, 1926.

UNITED CONGRESS.

It is fairly clear from Press messages from various quarters that, as between Congressmen and non-Congressmen the former are receiving a splendid response from the electorate. In the Southern Presidency Congressmen have won remarkable victories even in the strongholds of the Justice Party. In Bombay of the three members returned so far two are Congressmen and one of them, Mr. K. F. Nariman, has, as anticipated, topped the poll. All this is one more unmistakable tribute of the people to the worth and work of the Indian National Congress. It is quite natural. The Congress is, as it has been for the last forty years, the biggest, the strongest and the most representative political institution in the country and has consistently led the vanguard of opposition to the bureaucracy in the country's fight for freedom. Its position as the people's non-official Parliament has been recognised by the highest officials, by the late Mr. Montagu in particular, and by several British institutions which have sent from time to time their representatives to visit the Congress sessions. And, truth to tell, if Lord Birkenhead declines to accept the measure of co-operation from all other quarters, it is simply because the Congress does not now accept the Reforms even in terms of the Amritsar Resolution.

The present position of the Congress, however, is far from satisfactory. The trouble began with the old Swarajists, who were more united against the No-changers than amongst themselves, suddenly shifting the emphasis from on constructive work among the masses to discussions in the Councils. Now, at least, they will do well to realise that, if some No-changers fought them tooth and nail, it was partly because they feared that the schism would not stop there. And the schism did not stop there. The Swarajist programme had not a long enough, honest chance any more than Non-co-operation had. And circumstances and, in some respects, their own weakness compelled them to modify their original policy and this modification led some of them to put forward a new programme. At Sabarmati an attempt was made to adjust the differences but the attempt unfortunately failed. The natural consequences of the split came swift and sharp. The hardest blows which should have been aimed elsewhere were exchanged between brothers-in-arms. Some of the Swarajists seemed to regard loyalty to the Congress and even patriotism as their peculiar monopoly. On the other hand, while responsible Responsivists and Congress Independents maintained a due regard for the Congress as the parent body, others missed no opportunity of discrediting the Congress, just to secure a point over the Swarajist rivals. The worst is yet to be told. Attempts have been made to rouse the worst communal passions and it has been falsely suggested that the interests of the Hindus are in jeopardy in the hands of the Congress candidates, in spite of the well-known fact that as recently as on the 7th July the Working Committee of the Hindu Mahasabha itself passed a resolution affirming that Hindu interests were quite safe in the hands of the Congress nominees. These two features, the failure to come to an understanding as a regards a common national progarmme with the consequent undermining of the resistance to Government and the importation of communal jealousies into Congress politics are a serious menace to the Congress prestige at the present moment.

We have referred to these deplorable squabbles again because the lessons to be learned from them need to be burnt in the minds of the people. The people should fully realise that a fratricidal war is not a mere name but leaves deep cuts behind difficult to be healed. If in spite of these squabbles the people trust Congressmen with their votes, it shows what a hold the Congress has still upon the affections of the people, how the memories of past achievements are still green and how the people still long that the Congress should once again lead them in the fight for freedom. Now that the elections will soon close, it is the first and foremost duty of Congress leaders to requite the people's trust by composing their differences without any further delay. Indeed, we want even other parties and other communities to join or rejoin the Congress. But it is idle to expect them to do so in large numbers until those who are in the Congress settle their own disputes. And the dispute is easily susceptible of adjustment on the basis of "give" and "take" on both sides. The Swarajists are not likely to get the opportunity they need fully to carry out their original policy of "uniform, continuous and consistent obstruction" as they did not get it in the late legislatures. They can forward the national cause only by a coalition of forces with other Nationalists in order to give effect to an agreed common programme. The Responsivists also cannot do any effective work in the Councils without the co-operation of their fellow-Congressmen. They, too, will to have to make their contribution to the evolution of a joint programme and, therefore, the presentation of a united front, by never losing sight of the vital need of maintaining and strengthening the spirit of resistance to every activity of the Government that impedes the nation's progress towards Swaraj. The first thing that we would suggest in this connection is that every Provincial Congress Committee should pass a resolution demanding that the next session must definitely put a stop to the party bickerings by evolving a joint programme. We remember Mahatma Gandhi saying some time ago in connection with Hindu-Muslim disputes that, if he had his way, he would lock up prominent Hindu and Muslim leaders in a room, strip their pockets of all eatables, leave them to find out a solution and throw the key into the Sabarmati. With reference to both communal and party disputes we are tempted to repeat the suggestion a little more seriously.

A GLOOMY OUTLOOK.

It is a gloomy outlook next year for the financial situation of the Bombay Corporation which the Acting Municipal Commissioner presented in his Budget estimates for 1927-28 placed before the meeting of the Corporation's Standing Committee on Wednesday. A careful survey of the figures of revenue and expenditure led him to say that it was difficult to take a very optimistic view of the finances of the Corporation. The general tax has yielded during the last year Rs. 4,41,000 less than in the preceding year. The receipts from the Town Duties show a considerable reduction, the water revenue did not come up to expectations, while there was a marked reduction in the receipts transferred to the Corporation from the Improvement Trust. The reduced cotton crop had its influence too on the revenues of the Corporation, the Cotton Duty showing a drop of two lakhs. The result is that the actual revenue in the coming year is estimated to be less by Rs. 1,59,000 than that of the current year, and the actual surplus will be only Rs. 2,95,000.

But Mr. Kirpalani observes that this actual surplus is "at best a precarious one" and he poiints out how "it is based on the acceptance in full by Government of the Corporation's claim in respect of the Grant-in-Aid for Primary Education, an expectation which at the present moment does not show signs of early fulfilment." In view of this warning it is absolutely necessary for all the parties in the Corporation to unite in a strong protest against the continued indifference of the Government of Bombay to the duty incumbent upon them of holding to their promise. The Corporation decided to go to law in the matter but it is a pity it has taken an unconscionably long time in preparing its case. Meanwhile it is obliged to find ways and means to support what is certainly the most courageous scheme for the progressive and rapid reduction of literacy hitherto undertaken by any civic body in India and the local Government watch its efforts only with protestations of lip sympathy.

Retrenchment alone will save the Corporation from serious financial plight but the public has a right to demand that the retrenchment should proceed on right lines. A system of pruning which only cuts off the number of small poppies while leaving the tall ones to flourish undisturbed is no retrenchment at all. Reduction in the number of peons and minor clerks while heads of departments multiply is no sign that those in executive authority are in earnest about it. We want retrenchment too in the grandiose ideas of expansion and of re-construction of roads and bridges which have recently found favour with the Corporation. It must remember that in the Kasheli Bridge it had its own Back Bay Reclamation and in its Engineering Department it will have another Development Directorate unless its activities are carefully scrutinised and supervised by our Aldermen. We agree with Mr. Kirpalani that retrenchment can only be made the means of averting fresh burdens by securing better value for the money spent, but it must be remembered that a necessary item in securing that better value is a rigid curtailment of useless re-alignment schemes and a careful husbanding of the resources of the Corporation.

LAURELS AND LASHES

The Hindu-Muslim situation is now decidedly easy. And so long as it continues to be so, we would not much mind who claims the credit for it. Earl Winterton claims all credit for the moral action of the Viceroy and the Governors in the shape of speeches and to the legal action taken by the authorities. The efforts of the leaders and the Press are not so much as mentioned. Nor is the moral influence of Lord Olivier's letters indicated. However, as we said above, we shall not mind it. Only, if things go wrong, which Heaven forbid, Earl Winterton should not turn round and say, "It was all the people's fault". Laurels and lashes should go together. We shall not disturb Earl Winterton's self-complacence except by asking him why the moral and legal actions were not taken before many heads were broken.

NON-BRAHMIN MOVEMENT.

PRESENT STATE—A DISGRACE TO LEADERS.

(By Our Special Representative.)

I interviewed Rao Bahadur A. B. Lathe, the Dewan of Kolhapur and erstwhile, one of the prominent leaders of the Non-Brahmin movement, at his residence at the "New Palace". Questioned as to his view regarding the recent developments that the Non-Brahmin movement has taken in Madras and Bombay and particularly in Poona, he said almost with disgust "the present state of the movement is a disgrace to those who pose as leaders. Frankly speaking, there is neither organisation nor leadership. In fact the movement has degenerated into a vote catching medium, in the hands of a few educated non-Brahmins to exploit, of course for their self-interest, the non-Brahmin masses. As a factor in Indian politics, the movement has, I am sorry to say, but little significance and as a social factor, it has led to the present recrudescence of communal antipathy as in the days of the Peshwas and for the same reasons. Situated as I am, although I have been watching even the minor events that take place in the country, I am not inclined to say more. As for the recent events in Poona, I deplore them out and out and I attribute them entirely to the want of leadership.

Maharajah of Kolhapur and Brahmins.

To the question, Is there any truth in the statements made in certain quarters that the present Highness is deadly anti-Brahmin, he replied rather vehemently: "It is absolutely untrue and it is a scandal mongered by interested persons. If it were so, a Brahmin will not be one of the Judges of the High Court, or appointed as a Public Prosecutor or as a Sub-Judges or even as a professor in the College. The household Minister of His Highness is an orthodox Brahmin. To give another irrefutable instance, it is only a few months ago that His Highness ordered the return of all the property of one Mr. Kulkarni (a Brahmin) which was confiscated more than fifteen years ago when he was convicted for sedition and attempt to murder. Does this act of His Highness not prove to any reasonable man that His Highness is not anti-Brahmin? Of course, His Highness is enthusiastic about the uplift of the Non-Brahmin community from its puranic traditional degradation, but he knows only too well that the Non-Brahmin uplift does not connote pulling down the Brahmin."

Questioned about the reforms said to have been recently introduced in the State, he said with a considerable degree of caution and restraint: "Yes, it is a long story. To put it briefly, I am only trying with the advice and support of His Highness to bring some order out of chaos. In the administration of every department in the State, it is discernible that a good deal of laxity has been in existence for several years past. The whole administration requires radical change and I have just begun to apply the pruning knife."

The Familiar Excuse.

Q.—"Is there any truth in the rumour that H. H. is anxious to give some sort of popular representation in the administration of the State?

A.—"Well, as the proverb goes, 'the rumour has opened the door'. It is true, but not so soon. It will be a fact when the people have become so sufficiently educated in public service. I mean in the service of the public, as to demand any representation. Anyhow, we have already made a move in the direction by giving District Board and Municipalities and very shortly village Punchayats and Local Boards will be inaugurated. I am glad to say that His Highness takes a personal interest in the matter."

Q.—On what basis are you going to work them?

A.—"Considering the paucity of public spirited citizens, all the bodies will be one-half elective and the other half nominated."

Q.—Are there not sufficient number coming forth to contest the elections?

A.—"That is so. Everywhere, it is the Bar that provides persons for public service. Here nearly 80 per cent. of lawyers are unqualified men and consequently they stick to the profession.

Improving the Bar.

Q.—How do you mean to improve the situation?

A.—"That is exactly the crux of the situation. I am seriously thinking of improving the Bar. We have stopped issuing "sanads" to unqualified persons to practise as lawyers. But there are the old folk, the real impediment in my way. To cancel their "sanads" will, I feel, be an injustice and they stand, on the other hand, in the way of qualified new-comers. You know 'Rome was not built in a day'."

Q.—You know that according to the policy enunciated by the late Mr. Edwin Samuel Montagu almost all the Indian States are directly under the Government of India through the Agent to the Governor General. Why do you prefer to be under a Provincial Government?

A.—Regarding this, I don't know the mind of His Highness. Probably, the late Highness was in favour of the transfer to the Government of India. As we are, we are more concerned with the immediate internal reforms. Personally I hold the view that to be in touch with the Governor of a Province (who remains only for five years) is much better than to be in touch with the Agent to the Governor General who is always a person who has seen long service in India. After all, it is matter between the Government of India and the Bombay Government."

MODERATES NEVER MADE HISTORY.

MRS. NAIDU ON BALDWIN'S SERMON.

In response to our request Mrs. Sarojini Naidu sends us the following a propos of Mr. Baldwin's latest pronouncement on India:—

Such pronouncements inevitably savour of the vague and pious copybook maxims of perfection familiar to our childhood.

I remember an illustrious British statesman whose name is universally venerated saying to me once "Don't talk of moderation! Moderates never yet made history in the world".

The history of Indian liberty cannot be written in a spirit of meek surrender but in a spirit of brave resistance to all forces of injustice. The programmes of non-co-operation may be suspended or altered a thousand times, but the ideal of true non-co-operation is as old as human evolution and never-ending as an ultimate and splendid weapon against evil in all its ugliest forms. The supreme evil in the world is the evil of a nation's acquiescence in the shame of foreign domination.

Not co-operation but real non-co-operation is therefore the authentic measure of Indian's readiness for Swaraj.

SAROJINI NAIDU.

MISREPRESENTATION.

To the Editor of "The Chronicle.

Sir,—I have to bring to the notice of the public another instance of a perversion of my speeches for election purposes by interested parties. Pandit Malaviya spoke at a meeting held two days ago at the Marwadi Bazar After his speech was over, certain questions were asked indicating the apprehension of certain Marwari gentlemen whether, in the scheme of Swaraj that was in the mind of political workers, Hindu culture and Hindu religion would have perfect freedom to prosper. I was asked to state my views, and in a short speech lasting for not more than ten minutes, I said that the scheme of Swaraj which I and my colleagues had in view was one where perfect freedom would be given to the Hindu religion to pursue its own methods of worship and disseminating culture and that no Swaraj was worth having in which the freedom of religion of every citizen in this country was not protected. I hold the view that, in our scheme of Swaraj, every religion will have a right to protect its culture, civilization and modes of life and thought, and that no Swaraj is worth having which makes this freedom impossible I pointed out the great need of spreading in this connec-

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SOME FACTS ABOUT THE CONGRESS.

"S. D. N." writes:—"The following are a few facts about the Congress which deserve the attention of all our publicists who should be able to cite them whenever the Congress is dubbed a "Hindu institution" by friend or foe, by Congressman or non-Congressman.

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(1) The very first Hindu president of the Congress was as late as the seventh in order from the beginning; it was Anandacharlu who presided at the 1891 session at Nagpur. But a Muslim happened to preside over the Congress as early as at the third session: it was Badruddin Tayabjee who presided at the 1887 session at Madras.

(2) Before a Hindu presided over the Congress,—three Christians (of whom two were Britishers), two Parsis and one Muslim had done so.

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(3) Even during the period after the Muslim League was founded in express opposition to the Congress, and before the 'Hindu-Muslim unity' of the N.-C.-O. days came to be talked of, one Muslim is found presiding over the Congress. It was Nawab Sayed Mahomed who presided at the Karachi session of 1913. Between him and Tayabjee there had been one other Muslim president of the Congress, viz. Rahimattoola Sayani at the Calcutta session of 1896.

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(4) Taking all the 40 annual sessions, we find that according to denomination 8 Christians, 5 Parsis, 5 Muslims and 22 Hindus occupied the Presidential chair of the Congress. (In case the same person came to occupy the presidential chair more than once, he has been counted of course as a different individual each time.) The very first was a Christian Indian—W. C. Bonnerjee; the second a Parsi—Dadabhai Naoroji, the third a Muslim Indian—Badruddin Tayabjee; the fourth a Christian Britisher—George Yule; the fifth a Christian Britisher—Sir William Wedderburn; the sixth a Parsi—Pherozeshah M. Mehta; and only the seventh a Hindu—Anandacharlu.

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(5) Of the 40 Presidents up-to-date as many as 18 are non-Hindus, while the Hindus are 22. Who can say that this is not 'effective representation' of the minorities in the most blatant sense of the term that could be thought of? (There would be at least two more Muslim presidents if the special sessions were taken into account.)

(6) Even the sexes are represented in this list. There are two women Presidents—Mrs. Besant and Mrs. Sarojini Naidu. Which other political body in India can show such a feature?"

Notes of the Day.

A Fitting Award.

The news that G. B. S. has been awarded the Nobel Prize for Literature for the year 1925 will be received with deep and genuine satisfaction all the world over. It may be safely said that there is no civilised country in the world of to-day where the work of Shaw is not known. George Bernard Shaw to-day is not a mere literary celebrity. He is a living force working for the uplift of humanity, the process of the uplift being to make humanity laugh at its own follies by seeing them depicted on the stage with a charm of representation and characterisation which remains unsurpassed. Mr. Shaw, musical critic, novelist, pamphleteer, political lecturer and the most versatile and prolific dramatist of the century, illumines every department of human activity with the flash of his wit, and the mordant appositeness of his criticism. But he is no cynic. He has a message, and his later work, "St. Joan," for example, amply demonstrates with what power and force he knows how to give it.

A Belated Honour.

It is not only as a dramatist that Mr. Shaw will live in history. His long continued plea for human liberty, for the ushering of a better and juster world as expressed in his courageous pamphlets on "Commonsense and the War" and his brilliant Fabian pamphlets entitled him long ago to a distinguished place amongst those who labour "in the field of idealism" for the progress of the human race. It is a belated honour he receives in the Nobel Prize being bestowed upon him now, but G. B. S. is by no means at the end of his literary career. As a very competent critic, William Clissold,—otherwise called H. G. Wells—says of him, his career has not even now reached its culminating point. "I became aware," Clissold remarks, in Mr. Wells's latest novel, "of Mr. Shaw in his characteristic Jaegar costume talking in a corner. At that time he was a lean young musical critic, giving few intimations as yet of the dramatic career that is now culminating so magnificently—if even now it is culminating—in 'Saint Joan'."

Misrepresentation.

Replying to a query at an election meeting the other day, Mr. M. R. Jayakar said that his idea of Swaraj included full freedom for religion and unfettered privilege for everybody to practise his or her religion. And in pursuance of this view, which was precisely the view held by the Unity Conference at Delhi, Mr. Jayakar would duly safeguard the interests of Hinduism in general and would do his level best to preserve the life and maintain the well-being of cattle. If Mr. Jayakar's questioner expected something aggressive, he was rightly disappointed. It was impossible for a Nationalist like Mr. Jayakar to go any further and claim, like a communalist, any special or preferential treatment for any one community. In a communication which we publish elsewhere Mr. Jayakar states what his precise works were. His scheme of Swaraj is one "where perfect freedom would be given to the Hindu religion to pursue its own methods of worship and a disseminating culture" and he holds that "no Swaraj is worth having in which the freedom of religion of every citizen in this country was not protected." This is a sentiment about the broad-mindedness of which there can be no two opinions, and yet Mr. Jayakar is stigmatised in some quarters as an out and out communalist for having given expression to them. Such criticism which brings to its aid distortion and misrepresentation of others' views defeats its own purpose.

Mr. Lathe on Non-Brahmins.

Rao Bahadur Lathe, the Diwan of Kolhapur, has done well to expose a serious defect in the present phase of the Non-Brahmin movement. This movement has its roots in the distant past. Then it was mainly a religious movement. In recent times it was an organised attempt to remove the galling social disabilities under which they labour, all the more galling because they are permanent, being determined by birth. When, however, the movement was fairly well-organised, some officials and non-officials saw in it a ready weapon to serve their own selfish purposes. The former could use it to play off one community against another for its own benefit, and the latter could exploit the non-Brahmin discontent to advance their personal ambitions. It is this corruption of a healthy movement that Mr. Lathe most deplores. He attributes the evil mainly to want of true leadership. He is right but has not stated the whole truth. Non-Brahmins can best safeguard their interests by whole-heartedly espousing the cause of nationalism and democracy, the historical enemies of privilege in every shape and in every form.

To-day's Election.

The Muslims of Bombay will to-day go to the polling booths to elect two representatives to the local Legislative Council. There are six candidates for the two seats, Messrs. Hoosenbhoy A. Lalji, Jafferbhai A. Lalji, Hoosenbhai M. Rahimtoolah, and Dost Mahomed G. Khairaz, Dr. S. A. K. El Edroos and Mr. Mahomed Ali Allahbux. We trust the voters, a large majority of them at any rate, will not allow any sectional considerations to influence their choice. The paramount consideration in their mind should be to elect men who will act on the sound principle that the most effective way to safeguard Muslim interests is to remain true to national interests. If they bear this fact in mind they will have no hesitation in securing the return of Mr. Hoosenbhoy A. Lalji who is unquestionably the most deserving of the candidates alike by reasos of his past record and his promise.

COAL SITUATION

"LAST WORD OF GOVT."

COMPLETE PROPOSALS FOR SETTLEMENT GIVEN.

LONDON, Nov. 12.

The Coal Conference adjourned at three this morning. Government handed the Miners' Executive complete proposals for a settlement which are in substance the Government's last word, though alterations in form may be expected. The Miners' Executive has not indicated whether it is prepared to recommend the terms to the Delegate Conference.—Reuter.

GOVERNMENT MEMORANDUM

THE TEXT

LONDON, Nov. 12.

The Government memorandum of the settlement handed to the miners contains following:—

"Firstly, the Miners' Federation should undertake to its utmost to promote immediate resumption of work by means of district settlements, hours to be worked not being excluded from district negotiations. Secondly, the owners have informed Government in every district except Northumberland, Durham, Cumberland and North Wales that they have offered to pay, temporarily, a general district percentage on the basis rates not less than that prevailing on April 30th.

Thirdly, the owners have informed Government that they are ready to appoint in each district a Special Joint Sub-Committee on transfer prices.

Fourthly, permanent district agreements embodying the General principles shall be considered "standard" agreements. The principles include district boards with an independent Chairman, a periodical determination of the trading results of industry ascertained, jointly by accountants appointed by each side, and the reference of any question arising from it to an independent chairman of the district board, a periodical regulation of the district percentage so as to allocate between 85 to 87 per cent. of the profits to the owners and 13 to 15 per cent. to the miners, the minimum percentage on the basis not less than amounts, equivalent to twenty per cent. on standard wages at the basis rate in force for the time being, plus the percentage paid on the basis in July 1914 plus any percentage agreed to be paid to piece-workers in respect of the underground working day being shorter than eight hours, the payment of subsistence wages to low-paid day wage men at the rate paid in April until January 31st 1927 and after that at the rate to be determined by the district board, the duration for at least three years without prejudice to the variation of the district agreement by an agreement between parties to it or to any provision therein for the alteration of any of its terms by the district board.

Fifthly, Government to undertake to introduce legislation by which any district agreement other than the standard may, it on the basis of a longer underground working day than that prevailing in districts in April be made subject of appeal by either party to it to the national arbitral authority on any matters set out in the fourth clause in respect of which it is less favourable to the party appealing than the standard agreement.

Sixthly, the national arbitral authority which is to be established for a period of six months to consist of members of the Industrial court not connected with the coal-mining industry assisted by two assessors one appointed by each party to appeal.

Seventhly, Government forthwith to take steps to put into force the provisions of the Mining Industries Act 1926 relating to recruitment.—Reuter.

TRADE UNION BILLS.

DISCUSSION IN PARLIAMENT.

RUGBY, Nov. 11.

Premier announced in the House of Commons, that Government proposed to deal with law relating to trade unions in the next Parliamentary session.

The Home Secretary replying to questions stated that according to latest information in his possession the total sum of money which had been received from Russia for miners was one million 87 thousand sterling. He had taken no steps to prevent money coming in from any sources.

Mr. Ronald McNeill, Financial Secretary to the Treasury stated that negotiations in regard to Portugal's debt to this country had not resulted in any settlement as B. O. W.

LONDON, Nov. 12.

In the Commons, George Lansbury queried Sir Joynson-Hicks's statement, that he had been informed that 1087 thousand sterling, which the miners had received from Russia was raised by means of levy "in certain circumstances compulsory".

Replying Mr. Kingsley Wood said that the out-door relief in affected areas from May to October approximated to 5,800 thousand sterling. He subsequently explained that great deal of it was on loan.—Reuter.

DISCUSSION WITH CABINET COMMITTEE.

EARNESTEFFORTS AT SETTLEMENT

LONDON, Nov. 12.

It is evident that most earnest efforts are being made to secure a coal settlement from the fact that at one o'clock this morning the Miners' Executive was still closeted with the Cabinet Committee. It was announced that the parties were considering details clause by clause. Consultations began at half past five yesterday evening, and were interrupted later to enable the Cabinet Committee to consult the owners, after which the Miners again met the Cabinet when the latter were understood to posses the owners' "last word" After that no information was vouchsafed beyond an intimation that the Conference was likely to sit throughout the night.—Reuter.

UNFETTERED POWERS TO MINERS' EXECUTIVE

LONDON, Nov. 12.

The Miners' Delegate Conference considered and adopted a resolution of Lancashire to give the Miners' Executive unfettered powers to continue negotiations with Government with the object of arriving at a settlement. This decision of the Miners' Conference means that the miners have yielded on the question of hours. The Executive is now prepared to inform Government that it is willing to accept district settlements, both on hours and wages, subject to safeguards as regards the national principles or the appeal tribunal. The Conference adjourned till to-morrow to hear the result of resumed negotiations.

QUESTION OF TRIBUNAL.

The Delegate interviewed declared that the position was if Government met the miners liberally as regards the establishment of the tribunal whatever the views of the coal-owners might be, there would probably be a settlement. But if the miners' compromise on hours was interpreted as a sign of weakness, and harsh measures were contemplated then negotiations would break down finally.

PREMIER CANCELS AN ENGAGEMENT.

Mr. Baldwin has cancelled his engagement to address the Unionist Conference at Glasgow to-morrow.—Reuter.

DIFFERENTIAL STATUS OF DOMINIONS.

TRANSFERENCE OF 'FOREIGN OFFICE' POWERS

IMPERIAL COMMITTEE'S RECOMMENDATIONS.

LONDON, Nov. 12.

Reuter learns that there is every prospect that the Imperial Conference will conclude on 25th November. The primary characteristic of the conference has been delegation of every subject to the committees for thorough examination. Final decisions will be taken on the committees recommendations. It is understood that very definite decisions will be reached on inter-Imperial relations and communications, defence and foreign relations involving Locarno Agreements. Regarding Dominion's status probably, there will be nothing definite because as a prominent member of the Conference pointed out, it is obvious that close Imperial relations should be based not upon written constitution, which like marital relations should best be left undefined. One of greatest features of Conference has been close intercourse between delegates of purely family aspect. Yesterday's reception by King and Queen at Buckingham Palace has greatly impressed the rank and file of delegations.

DIFFERENTIAL STATUS OF DOMINIONS.

Reuter understands that the Imperial Relations Committee is making considerable progress over what is regarded as, differential status of the Dominions compared with the Mother Country. The general idea at the back of the Committee's work has been to place the Dominions on footing of equality with Britain as regards ordinary forms of foreign relations. As instance, it may be stated that the Committee has decided to recommend, that the 'exequaturs" of foreign representatives in the Dominions should be signed by the Dominions' representatives, instead of by the British foreign office where such procedure is desired.—Reuter.

REOPENING OF EGYPTIAN PARLIAMENT.

ANGLO-EGYPTIAN UNDERSTANDING.

CAIRO, Nov. 11.

In connection with the reopening of the Parliament on 18th November the Liberal Constitutional paper "Siassah" confidently anticipates that the quiet at present prevailing in the country and the work of Parliament will be a prelude to Anglo-Egyptian understanding. It pays tribute to Lord Lloyd for not interfering with the Egyptian Administration and resisting the reactionary attempts to restore absolutism.—Reuter.

MR. NARIMAN TOPS THE POLLS

CONGRESS CAPTURES 2 SEATS IN BOMBAY SOUTH.

JUSTICITES ROUTED IN MADRAS PRESIDENCY

CONGRESS CANDIDATES' SUCCESS

MR. KESAVA PILLAI DEFEATED.

The result of elections in Bombay South is a distinct victory for the Congress. Out of three candidates, two have come out successful, Mr. Nariman topping the poll. Mr. P. J. Murzban stands second.

Results in Madras Presidency are very encouraging, Trichinopoly, Madura, West Godavery, Anantpur and Coconada returning Congress candidates. Dewan Bahadur P. Kesava Pillai, Deputy President of the Madras Legislative Council, a Justicite, is reported to have been defeated.

Mr. K. F. Nariman	.. 9817
Mr. P. J. Murzban	.. 7462
Mr. B. T. Desai	.. 5258

TO-DAY'S ELECTION.

The result of the elections of the non-Mahomedan constituency Bombay South, was declared on Friday evening in the Bombay Town Hall before a large number of voters who had collected to hear the success or otherwise of the candidates of their respective choice. Most of the candidates from North and South constituencies came at 11 a.m. with their agents to hear the verdict of the electors but at about 5 p.m. the candidates from Bombay city North constituency were told that the result of that constituency would be declared on Sunday evening and they retired with animated suspense. It was a great relief, however, for the candidates of the South constituency to hear that their result would be declared that evening even though it might be late. At about 7 p.m. when the grand total was being taken those who failed in the contest began to retire quietly. Mr. Nariman and Mr. B. T. Desai the successful Swarajist members were not present, the former being confident of his success and the latter due to his illness.

The following is the result of the election:

(1) Mr. K. F. Nariman	9817
(2) Mr. P. J. Murzban	7462
(3) Mr. B. T. Desai	5238
(4) Mr. E. R. Heerjeebehdin	4730
(5) Dr. M. B. Velkar	4099
(6) Dr. A. G. Viegas	3720
(7) Mr. S. C. Joshi	3368
(8) Seth Govindlal Shivlal Motilal	2707
(9) Mr. Purshotamdas Tricumdas	1457
(10) Mr. J. B. Patel	677

Bombay South is composed of 3 Municipal Wards: A, C, and D with a total number of about 47,500 voters. More than 60 per cent of the voters are expected to have gone to the polls. Divided according to communities, there are about 11,000 Parsis, 16,000 Gujerati Hindus, 15,000 Deckani Hindus, 2,000 Indian Christians, 3,000 Madrasis, Manglorians etc. and 500 Israels and Jews.

The result of Bombay city North constituency will be declared on Sunday evening while the counting of the University contest will take place on the 25th instant.

TO-DAY'S ELECTION.

CITY MAHOMEDAN SEATS.

The polling for the two Mahomedan seats of the Bombay Legislative Council will take place to-morrow at 8 a.m. at various centres in the city. There are six candidates contesting the election, namely Messrs. Hooseinbhai A. Lalji (Independent) Dostmahomed G. Khairaz (Independent), Mahomedali Allabux (Independent), Jafferbhai A. Lalji (Independent), Hooseinnali M. Rahimtooia (Independent) and Dr. S. A. K. El Edroos. The polling booths are situated at the following places:—

A. D. C. Wards—Elphinstone High School.
B Ward—Umerkhadi Jail.
E. Ward—The Old Byculla Girls' School.
F. and G. Wards—Damoder Thakersy Hall, Parel.

MADRAS' FAITH IN CONGRESS.

ROUT OF JUSTICITES.

(From Our Correspondent.)

MADRAS, Nov. 12.

One by one the Justicites are losing heavily even in their strongholds. The Trichinopoly-cum-Srirangam constituency, which had been their stronghold and which had returned sworn Justicites in the last two general elections, has failed them miserably this time, and a Brahmin Congressman has been returned by a majority.

Mr. K. V. Rangaswami Iyengar, the Congress candidate, who stood against Mr. Patal, son of Sir Sankaran Nair, for the Madras Landholders constituency to the Legislative Assembly, has come out successful by a majority of 35 votes, in spite of the active support, which the latter had from the justice party.

The Madura Urban seat also which had been held by the Justicites in the last 2 general elections, has this time gone to a Congressman. Reports received from various polling centres in the Tanjore Madura and Tinnevelly Districts are very encouraging, and Congressmen are reported to have fared very well in every place.

WEST GODAVARY CONSTITUENCY

The Justice Party candidates fared very badly in the West Godavari constituency. The Congress candidates Messrs. Narayana Razu and Narayana Rao secured 12834 and 11954 votes respectively, while the Justice Party candidates. Sarvaroyudu, the sitting member and Venkatramayya Naidu got only 4131 and 7264 votes respectively.

ANANTAPUR DISTRICT.

News from the Mofussil announces further Congress victories in Anantapur District constituency. Messrs. Narayana Reddy and Obi Reddy Congress Candidates have defeated Dewan Bahadur Kesava Pillai and another of the Justice Party Mr. Kesava Pillai is a veteran fighter and has been the Deputy President of the Madras Legislative Council. He owes his defeat to his being justicite.

COCONADA URBAN SEAT.

In Cocanada urban constituency also, the Congress Candidate Mr. C. Ramasomayajulu defeated both the Independent Candidates who opposed him.

C. P. ELECTION RESULTS.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

NAGPUR, Nov. 12.

Results of the elections are coming out in Hindustani C. P. In Chhindwara District. Mr. Salpekar, the Congress candidate has succeeded, getting 1310 votes, the Independent Congress Party candidate, Rai Bahadur Mathuraprasad getting only 785 and Seth Sheolal 527. In Nimar District Mr. Gopal Rao Joshi Independent Congress Candidate is also defeated.

INDEPENDENT CONGRESS CANDIDATE RETURNED.

BILASPUR, Nov. 12.

Mr. Gajadhar Prashad Jaiswal, Independent Congress Party candidate has been declared duly elected to the C. P. Legislative Council from the Hoshangabad district. Mr. Jaiswal secured 1540 votes while his opponents Mr. Sitacharan Dube (Liberal) obtained 1527 and Benimadhab Avasthee (Swraajist) 1100.—A. P.

CONGRESS CANDIDATE'S VICTORY.

CHANDA, Nov. 12

The polling in the Chanda district non-Mahomedan rural constituency for the local council resulted in Mr. Deotale, Congress candidate securing 1370 votes and his rival Mr. B. R. Deshmukh, Desposuve candidate 1090 votes. Mr. Deotale was declared duly elected.—A. P.

MAHATMA GANDHI'S SON SUPPORTS RESPONSIVISTS.

CALCUTTA, Nov. 12.

In the course of a communication to the Bengalee to-day, Mr. M. Gandhi the eldest son of Mahatma Gandhi urges the electors to vote for the Responsivists and enumerating his reasons, he says that the setting up of the Swaraj Party in defiance of the non-co-operation movement when his father

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MR. G. B. SHAW.

GETS NOBEL PRIZE.

FOR LITERATURE FOR 1925

RUGBY, Nov. 11.

The Nobel Prize for Literature for 1925 was awarded this afternoon by the Swedish Academy to Mr. George Bernard Shaw for 1925. The prize for 1926 was not awarded.

STOCKHOLM. Bernard Shaw is awarded Nobel Prize for Literature for 1925 which will amount to 118,000 Swedish Kronor.—Reuter.

Mr. George Bernard Shaw, the famous playwright, novelist and publicist was born in 1856 at Dublin. He is a prominent Fabian, and joined the Fabian Society in 1884, that is, one year after it was founded. Mr. H. G. Wells and Mr. Shaw are acknowledged to be the two prominent Fabians. Mr. Shaw went to school at Dublin and began to earn his living when he was fifteen. He came to London with his family in 1876 and wrote novels which at first did not find a market. "Love Among the Artists" first appeared as a serial in "Our Corner" a monthly edited by Mrs. Orme Berant. In 1889 he edited the Fabian Essays, to which he contributed the remarkable articles "The Economic Basis of Socialism" and the Transition to Social Democracy." He became art and musical critic for the "Star" where his articles signed "Corno di Bassetto" attracted immediate notice. He began his dramatic career with a play "The Philandrer," a topical comedy on Ibsenism and followed it up with a powerful play on the "social evil" called "Mrs. Warren's Profession" which the English censor promptly rejected. It was received very favourably on the Continent and Shaw began now a series of plays which proved immensely popular. He is an Irishman and married to an Irishwoman (Miss Payne-Townshend). He is counted "a brilliant paradoxist" by those wro mistake his cynical exterior. He is the most agile of controversialists and a thoroughgoing "humanitarian." His plays are as well-known on the Continent and in the United States as in London. His play "Back to Methuselah" was produced in February, 1921, and "Saint Joan" for which principally he has been awarded the prize, last year.

He is the author of numerous novels, and His other well-known plays are "Man and Superman," "Androcles and the Lion" (1913), and "Pygmalion" (1914). "Heartbreak House (1919)", "John Bull's Other Islands" Major Barbara, Fanny's First Play, etc.

Mr. George Bernard Shaw who is awarded the Nobel Prize for Literature for 1925.

MAY THEY REMAIN UNITED.

MARSHAL FOCH'S MESSAGE.

LONDON, Nov. 11.

PARIS.—Marshal Foch has sent the following message to the Allied combatants all over the world: "May they remain united and understand one another." Marshal Foch told an interviewer that the greatest decisions of the war were taken not on 11th November 1918 but on 24th July 1918. When he convinced the allied commanders of the necessity of taking an offensive he could have given a categorical order, but he preferred persuasion. There were still more anxious hours in November 1914 when Field Marshal French wanted to abandon Yser and the King of the Belgians considered withdrawing the Belgian Army. Marshal Foch said that at that time he could only advise, but his advice that retreat might mean a debacle was taken and Yser was held. He concluded by saying: "to command is nothing. To understand one an other is the secret of life."—Reuter.

SMALL-POX IN DURBAN.

CASES PROVE FATAL.

DURBAN, Nov. 11.

The recent outbreak of small pox here is believed to have been brought under control but the number of concealed cases among Indians have come to light with resultant contacts and some apprehension has been aroused. Hitherto 50 cases have been discovered of whom 13 have been fatal.—Reuter.

QUESTIONS ABOUT DREDGER.

RESPONSIBILITY OF INDIA OFFICE.

SIR G. BUCHANAN'S EVIDENCE

LONDON, Nov. 12.

The Back Bay Inquiry was resumed today at the House of Lords. Sir G. Buchanan replying to Sir F. Hopkinson said that his firm recommended that Messrs. Simons of Clyde, should be given the contract as it considered that theirs was a most favourable tender. The India Office accepted the tender for the dredger without consulting him.

Sir F. Hopkinson expressed surpris at this remarking that the dredger was an absolute crux of the whole thing. He asked: solute crux of the whole thing. He asked Did not Sir George Buchanan consider it personally incumbent on him to be absolutely certain that trials of the dredger carried out in England were under conditions which would be applicable to Bombay! Sir G. Buchanan replied that he was quite satisfied with the trials carried out by Sir John Biles.—Reuter.

RUSSO-TURKISH RELATIONS.

INTEREST AROUSED IN PARIS.

LONDON, Nov. 12.

Paris.—Considerable interest is being taken here in the meeting between Tewfik Rushdi and Mr. Chicherin at Odessa, and there is a good real of speculation with regard to its deal purpose. "Petit Parisien's" Constantinople correspondent claims, he is reliably informed that the conference is the outcome of the Eastern peoples' desire to reach an understanding in the interests of peace and that it is expected some form of the League of Nations on the lines of the Geneva League will result.

"Isvestia" of Moscow emphasises that the meeting proves that the present friendly Russo-Turkish relations cannot be changed "despite efforts of some powers to detach Turkey from Russia."

It concludes by saying that Soviet-Turkish relations do not call for any new agreements at present. Moscow treaty of Friendship of 1924 and Paris Pact are quite sufficient for further extension of Russo-Turkish friendship.—Reuter.

MARKET FOR MOTOR CARS IN INDIA.

IMPORT DUTY TO BE REDUCED.

LONDON, Nov. 12.

Great expansion in the market for motor cars in India was foreshadowed by Sir Reginald Ford who in an interview in London expressed the opinion that the Government of India would soon reduce by thirty per cent the import duty on cars, and establish a ministry of transport to allocate petrol tax to road development.

He pointed out that roughly seventy-five per cent of the cars used in India at present were non-British. If duty on cars was placed at a reasonable figure and communications were developed, there was not the slightest reason why British cars should not be in a position to compete with non-British cars. He emphasised the importance of appointing a British Agent for the Indian market.—Reuter.

HEAVY LIST OF PETITIONS.

JUDICIAL COMMITTEE BUSY.

LONDON, Nov. 11.

The Judicial Committee of the Privy Council consisting of Lords Haldane, Sumner and Sinha, to-day, was faced with an unprecedentedly heavy list of petitions, totalling 15, all, except one, being from India, and relating to various crimes including the cases of murder and other acts of violence and two cases of forgery. Leave to appeal was not granted to a single case which referred to a blood feud in which Madat Khan and Fakir Khan appealed against the judgment of the High Court of Lahore, upholding the judgment of the Session Judge of Attock sentencing them to death on a charge of murder which sentences the Punjab Government had commuted to transportation for life.—Reuter's Special.

BETTING TAX SEQUEL.

LONDON, Nov. 11.

A meeting of the Race Course Association has appointed a Special Committee to study the effect of the betting tax and alternative methods, but it is not clear whether the latter include a totalisator or parimutuel.—Reuter's Special.

LADY STRATHCONA'S WILL.

LONDON, Nov. 12.

Lady Strathcona's will show that aggregate for duty is 66,88,000 sterling. Death duty payable is 21,67,000. Her moveable property in Britain is worth nearly four million sterling.—Reuter.

SPANISH REPUBLICAN LEADER RELEASED.

MADRID, Nov. 12.

Lerroux, Leader of Spanish Republican Party, has been liberated.—Reuter.

ARMISTICE CELEBRATIONS.

WILD SCENES AT DUBLIN.

EFFORTS TO CAPTURE UNION JACK.

DUBLIN, Nov. 12.

There were rowdy scenes when the ex-servicemen reached the city from Cenotaph. Efforts wre made to capture Union Jacks and the police were obliged to charge with batton drawn, to quell disturbances and several people were injured. Poppies were torn from motor cars and attempt was made to set fire to Limousing from where poppies were being sold.

There was recrudescence of wild scenes last night when a party of youths, wearing poppies came into conflict with a band of republicans. The Civic guard charged with battons drawn and a number of persons were injured including several women. —Reuter.

ARMISTICE DAY IN AMERICA.

KANSAS CITY, Nov. 12.

Armistice day celebrated all over the country by observance of two minutes' silence and other ceremonies but interest was concentrated on Kansas City, where President Coolidge unveiled the War Memorial at which the Queen of Roumania laid a wreath. President Coolidge took Europe to task for "indulging for generations past in luxury, suspicion, distrust and hatred towards others." But he qualified his observations by adding: "In their place we might have done worse." He appealed for good-will and friendliness between American and other peoples and emphatically declared that, only on conditions laid down by the Senate, could United States adhere to the World Court. He announced that universal conscription would be applied in United States not only to manpower but also to the wealth in the event of another war.

PREPARATIONS FOR NEXT WAR.

President Coolidge while advocating adequate standard of air, naval and military preparedness, disclaimed any imperialistic designs. He reiterated the desire of the American Government to lessen competitive armaments, especially naval. Referring to war debts, President Coolidge reiterated that he believed that the World could not rest on secure foundation, other than recognition of sanctity of international obligations.—Reuter.

ARMISTICE DAY IN LONDON.

IMPRESSIVE SCENES AT CENOTAPH.

LONDON, Nov. 11.

Armistice day was observed all over the Empire with customary solemnity. The ceremonial centred at the Cenotaph, where surrounded by a large crowd, some of whom took up their positions at dawn, the King, Prince of Wales, Duke of York, Dominion Prime Ministers and representatives of India and other parts of the Empire, laid wreaths at the base of the monument, which was followed by thousands of the public. The sombre aspect of the crowd many of whom were wearing black was relieved only by the glittering uniforms of the Naval and Military detachments and the general wearing of the Flanders poppy showing the widespread response to Earl Haig's appeal for ex-service men. An impressive service at Westminster Abbey and the procession to the tomb of the Unknown Warrior were followed by the city's celebrations, which included the services at St. Paul's and the Royal Exchange. Two minutes' silence at eleven in the morning was marked by almost complete cessation of all activities.—Reuter.

AT MADRAS.

MADRAS, Nov. 11.

Armistice day was observed here as usual. Besides two minutes' silence and ceremonial parades memorial services were held in all churches. The Service at St. George's Church was attended by H. E. the Governor who drove in State accompanied by Hon'ble Cicely Goschen and party from the Government House and delivered an impressive address making special reference to the heroism of those who laid down their lives in the war and praying that their sacrifices should not be in vain.—A. P.

AT DELHI.

DELHI, Nov. 11.

Reports have been received from all parts of India regarding observances of the Armistice Day. In Delhi the Viceroy and Lady Irwin and Staff besides high civil and military officers attended St. John's Church at eleven, when the Armistice Day and church parades for ex-servicemen were held. The church was crowded and the service lasted about 45 minutes. Nearly every one wore poppies.—A. P.

AT CALCUTTA.

CALCUTTA, Nov. 12.

Over one hundred ex-servicemen dined last night at the Saturday Club when a telegram was read from His Majesty the King Emperor, thanking the gathering for a message conveying loyal greetings. Similar telegrams were received from the Commander-in-Chief who is now in Burma. —A. P.

AT KARACHI.

KARACHI, Nov. 11.

Armistice day was celebrated in Karachi to-day with an enthusiasm greater than even in former years. There was a parade of all garrison troops in the morning and amidst a vast gathering of the general public the two minutes' silence was reverently observed. The local troops of boys scouts and girl guides also attended in full strength. On the conclusion of the parade all units marched past the Cenotaph. A large number of beautiful floral tributes were placed at the foot of the cenotaph by the Colonel Commandant and several leading citizens. In the evening at 5 o''clock a massed band concert was held in the Frere Hall Grounds and was largely attended by the public. Throughout the day, ladies and girls paraded the main thoroughfares of the city and cantonments selling Flanders poppies in aid of the ex-services association, which it is believed will be benefitted to the extent of several thousand rupees.—A. P.

AT BARODA

BARODA, Nov. 11.

The 8th anniversary of the Armistice was celebrated throughout the Baroda State with due solemnity. As on previous occasions the two minutes silence was observed in remembrance of the glorious dead. The Residency here also took part in the celebrations.—A. P.

EX-SERVICES ASSOCIATION.

To the Editor of "The Chronicle.

Sir,—It is just possible that the Ladies collecting for the above Association to-day may have missed contact with some of those who are desirous of recognising in a tangible way the call which the Ex-Service Officers and men have upon our generosity on this Anniversary of Armistice Day. I am writing therefore once more to beg the hospitality of your columns to ask that any person who has not contributed will send their cheques either to J. S. Tilley, Esq., C/o McKenzies, Ltd., or to myself. —Yours, et.,

LESLIE HUDSON.

GWALIOR HOCKEY TOURNAMENT.

AGRA TEAM'S SUCCESS.

GWALIOR, Nov. 12.

In the All-India Scindia Gold Cup Hockey Tournament the Kamala Raja Club of Gwalior and the St. John's College of Agra have scratched the Star Club of Jhansi and the Victoria College of Gwalior had walks over yesterday. The Agra Auxiliary Force and the Loco Quarters of Jhansi met this morning, score was one goal each before the interval, after which the Agra Auxiliary Force scored two more and won by three goals to one. The game was very evenly contested. Though Jhansi side had to play with ten players for most of the time one member of the team having to retire hurt.—A. P.

CALCUTTA MOSQUE FIRING CASE.

DACCA, Nov. 11.

Mr. D. L. De, Special Magistrate, has commenced the hearing of the case in which Chunilal Roy Chowdhury, Zemindar of Baliati in Dacca district is charged under Section 19 E of the Arms Act with firing a gun from his boat at Badamtali mosque on September 9th. The accused had also no license for himself for the gun. The case for the prosecution is that on September 9th when Mahamed Chand Mia of Babur Bazar went to Babur Bazar Ghat to bathe in the evening he found a house boat at the ghat in which he noticed about six men and some guns. Shortly after there was a great row at Babur Bazar and many people from different directions began to run. The accused in the boat it was alleged then took out a gun and fired at the mosque. He was subsequently arrested by the police. The case has not yet concluded.—A. P.

NO CAUSE FOR ALARM.

SITUATION WELL IN HAND.

EARL WINUERTON ON COMMUNAL DIFFERENCES.

LONDON, Nov. 11.

In the House of Commons, to-day, replying to Colonel Day respecting the action taken with a view to dealing with the tension with regard to Hindu-Muslim hostility in India, Earl Winterton described that the moral action and the legal or executive action taken by the Government of India was exemplified, the former by Lord Irwin's appeal to the communities to put away feelings of hatred and intolerance. Lord Winterton was pleased to think that this had considerable effect. He also mentioned similar efforts of local officers of Government.

After describing the legal and executive action, Lord Winterton said the Government of India would continue fully to use all their powers, whether influence or law, to check the manifestations of hostility and preserve order, and despite a tense state of public feeling and outbreaks it was inevitably liable to produce, they could claim confidently that the general situation was well in hand. The Under-Secretary of State for India after referring to the legislative assembly debate on the subject, in September, gave an assurance that the Government of India and the local Governments would be ready at any time to take such further action which circumstances might seem to require.—Reuter.

TO-DAY'S ELECTION.

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was in the Yerrowda jail was "a hit behind the back" of the leader of the movement. —A. P.

DR LOHOKARE'S DEATH.

FRESH ELECTION.

Owing to the death of Dr. K. G. Lohokare, the Government of Bombay, in a notification has called upon the Poona City (Non-Muhammadan Urban) Constituency to elect a member before the 6th day of December next. They have appointed the dates and hours as stated below:—

SCHEDULE

(1) Friday, (19th Nov.) 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. the last day for nominatin of candidates.

(2) Monday, (22nd inst.) for the Scrutiny of nomination papers.

(3) Thursday 2nd Dec.) 8 a.m. vting to 12 Noon, and 1 p.m. to 6 p.m.

(4) Friday, (3rd Dec. 11 a.m., at the headquarters office of tehe Returning Officer Counting of vote"

ASSEMBLY ELECTIONS

POLLING STATIONS & HOURS

INDIAN LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

The following Polling Stations have been fixed for the election of the Non-Muhammadan and Muhammadan Constituencies to be held on the 18th November 1926.

(Polling Hours:—8 a.m. to 12 noon and 1 p.m. to 6 p.m)

No. of Polling Station.	Place	Polling area (Municipal Ward)

NON-MUHAMMADAN CONSTITUENCY

1. Town Hall (Main Hall) A.
2. Town Hall (Main Hall) C and D.
3. Bombay Education Society's Old Girls' Boarding School, Parel Road, Byculla, B and E.
4. Damodar Thakersey Hall, Elphinstone Road, Parel, F and G.

MUHAMMADAN CONSTITUENCY.

1 Town Hall (Library Room) A, C and D.

2 The Old Common Prison, Jail Road East, Umerkhadi, B, E, F and G.

MR. HUSSEINBHOY LALJI'S CANDIDATURE

A FALSE RUMOUR.

To the Editor of "The Chronicle."

Sir.—Some of the papers have published a rumour that I may be withdrawing in favour of my brother Mr. Jafferbhoy. I also learn that handbills to this effect have been distributed in the City. The rumour is absolutely false. I am not withdrawing in favour of my brother. I also beg to intimate to my Muslim brethren that some false and misleading statements are also being published to prejudice me, at a time when I will have no time to reply. They will therefore kindly not take any notice of such mean tactics.—Yours, etc.

HOOSEINBHOY A. LALJEE.

Bombay, Nov. 12.

Before leaving Darjeeling his Excellency Lord Lytton had his first leave taking at Darjeeling. Replying to the addresses presented by the Municipality, District Board, Anjuman Islamia and Hillmen's Association his Excellency made a suitable reply.

"A VEILED MILITARISM."

MR. JAYAKAR ON COMING FIGHT.

PLEA FOR UNITED OPPOSITION WITHIN COUNCILS.

It was an easy task for Messrs. Jayakar and Bullabhai J. Desai to address a favourable audience which had gathered last evening at Cowasji Jehangir Hall to hear them on the forthcoming elections for the Assembly.

Sir Dinsha M. Petit, the President elect of the meeting, opening the proceedings, observed that he belonged to no party. This would appear curious but he had a reason to say like that. The Indian National party, under whose auspices the meeting was convened was a party capable of including any national party pledged to advance the best interests of the country and hence its right of neutrality in the party feuds that had raged in the country. He was not there to support any candidate or run down another but his purpose was to suggest some practical lines on which the work in the Legislatures should be carried on with profit to the country.

Mr. Bulabhai J. Desai who followed the president, congratulated himself on the occasion he had got to express his views before an intelligent audience. He was delighted to see that the present elections were fought with a political sense and consciousness—those important virtues in political life, which were hot so well developed at the time of the two previous occasions. The intense interest in the political situation was descernible among the masses and that was really indicative of a healthy growth of political consciousness. The country had arrived at a sense of level-headedness which was one of the basic requirements of a really democratic institution.

INDIAN NATIONAL PARTY.

Talking about the genesis of the Indian national party, Mr. Desai stated that the corner stone of their policy was that their candidates were hot making any promises to the country, which they could not fulfil by their actions.

The question before the public added Mr. Desai, was very simple. They had to consider calmly and with unbiassed minds whether men like Mr. Jayakar and others, were right in differing from the Swaraj Party or wrong. The issue is most simple. If the members of the Indian National Party were right in their difference of opinion, they were entitled to Court the sympathy of the people in their own favour. The electors should vote for them if they really believed in the honesty of their purpose. If the electors thought that the programme of the Indian National Party was a programme without to the interests of the country, it was their right no t to in favour of the candidates set up by that party. The speaker proceeded that they had not sold their conscience to the Congress. The Congress had been made a handmaid of a particular political group in the country. He vehemently denied the right of any group, however dominant it would appear for the time being, to dictate the rules of political conduct to anybody.

Mr. Jayakar who spoke next paid a tribute to Mr. Bulabhai J. Desai for his clear exposition of the issue involved in the present political bickerings.

CLEAR AND STRAIGHT FIGHT.

When the candidates fought the elections on clear and straightforward issues, he called it a clean and a straight fight. He was sorry that the speeches created more misunderstandings than the silence; however he had to defend his policy especially when it was grossly misinterpreted.

Continuing Mr. Jayakar emphasized that the Government with which they had to fight was a sort of a veiled militarism. They had to wrest Swaraj from most powerful and unwilling hands. The Governments would not open their mailed fists unless they were compelled to do so. If any check was possible on the Government, it was through the Legislatures and from no other source.

ONLY TWO COURSES.

Mr. Jayakar observed that, under the circumstances, only two courses were possible. The total abstenance from the Legislatures which was surely a sensible policy or the utilization of the Legislatures for what they were worth. He knew no policy, workable and profitable, between those two views.

They had tried the first policy and had failed. It therefore remained to them to try the second policy and he and his party were up for that. It was his sincerest desire that all the nationalist parties should form, within the Legislatures, a strong, solid, rational, intelligent and a united opposition to the Government.

NO COMMUNALIST.

Referring to a criticism directed against him that he was a communalist, Mr. Jayakar affirmed that his utterances were grievously misunderstood. If he said that religion must have a place in Swaraj and every religion ought to be free and unfettered, he did not think he was guilty of any communalism that was pitted against him. In conclusion, he exhorted the people not to be misled by false impressions which were only meant to create fog and confusion.

Mr. K. Natrajan proposed a vote of thanks to the chair and the proceedings were brought to a close.

"ASSERT YOUR DIGITY'N."

LABOUR M. P.'S ADVICE TO MADRAS TRAMWAY MEN

MADRAS, Nov. 12.

Addressing a well attended meeting of the Madras Tramway Men's Union last night, Mr. Pethwick Lawrence, Labour M.P., said that workmen in England and India should work together in friendship. Otherwise capitalists in both countries would use them to compete against each other.

He laid much stress on self-help and said that they must rely on themselves because they alone could help their own conditions. "You have yourselves to assert your own dignity as men nd workers of this country and the world. No one else can give you dignity except yourselves" declared Mr. Lawrence in conclusion.—A. P.

MISREPRESENTATION.

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tion a true conception of the tenets of the Hindu religion, especially in its cultural aspects, by a broad dissemination of the literature thereof, amongst its votaries. Reference was made by one of the speakers at the meeting to the slaughters of cows for the purpose of providing dry meat to Burma, for which purposes I am told that about 33 lakhs of cows are slaughtered every year in India. I was asked to state my views on this question, and I said in reply that, so far as my humble efforts went, I would make every endeavour to preserve the life and maintain the well-being of cattle in this country, as I hold that, situated as we are in this country, cattle are our best wealth. When I said this, I had in my mind attempts at legislation like those made by the ex-Swarajist member of the Legislative Assembly, Pandit Shamlal Nehru, to restrict and prevent the slaughter of cows for providing dry meat outside India and to prevent their exportation for breeding purposes. I am quite aware that a lasting settlement of this question can only be arrived at between the several communities who are interested in this question, but that does not exclude attempts to restrict by legislation the promiscuous slaughter of the cow, especially when young, for purposes of trade outside India, thereby depleting the agricultural wealth of the country. For holding these views I am pilloried this morning as a communalist by a newspaper which has been honouring me daily with its special attention and spreading misconception about the views and activities of myself and my colleagues. I am writing this letter to contradict the evil suggestions made in the editorial article of that paper, because I want to be judged by the opinions which I actually hold and not by those which are falsely ascribed to me in the heat of the election propaganda. The obvious motive of your morning contemporary in perverting my views in its editorial article is to create prejudice in the minds of my non-Hindu friends who may be inclined to support my candidature. I have therefore to request such friends not to be misled by this perversion.—Yours etc

M. R. JAYAKAR

THE EX-MAHARAJA OF INDORE.

LUXURY TRIP TO AMERICA.

H. H. the ex-Maharaja of Indore has sailed for America with Nathu Hajuria and Soonder Jadhav, A. D. C. and two European friends.

The other party consisting of Dr. Gossavi and Mr. Raschid, Legal Remembrancer of the old regime with fifteen others—followers—of the ex-Maharaja are sailing for India from Marseilles on the 20th November. The Maharani Indarbai Saheb is also coming along with this party. The Maharani is coming to Indore to attend a marriage, after which she will sail back with the bridal party to Paris to join the ex-Maharaja.

The two Princes are kept in England for their education

GOVERNOR AT KARACHI.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

KARACHI, Nov. 12.

His Excellency Sir Leslie Wilson, Governor of Bombay, Lady Wilson and staff arrived here this morning. They were received by the Commissioner of Sind, the Commanding Officer, Judicial Commissioner and Mr. Jamshed Mehta, President Karachi Municipality. After formal introductions to those who were present His Excellency drove to Madressa. Her Excellency went to visit the Lady Dufferin Hospital, Mama Parsi Girls school.

ALL-INDIA WEATHER.

SIMLA, Nov. 12.

The Northern portion of the Western disturbance is passing away eastwards and the southern portion is feebly affecting the region extending from the East Punjab to the West Central Provinces.

There has been nearly general rain in the Punjab and the Kumaon Hills with a few falls in Kashmir and in the plains of the East Punjab and of the West United Provinces.

Rainfall has been local in Upper Burma and a few falls have occurred in Lower Burma Malabar and Madras Southeast.

Chief amounts are:—Maymyo one inch., Mussooree three quarters, Dehra Dun, Chakrata and Dalhousie a half, and Ambala one.

Forecast:—A slight extension in the United Provinces and a few falls in the central parts of the country.—A. P.

LOSS OF NATIONAL PRIDE

INDIA'S GLOOMY FUTURE

PROF. RADHAKRISHNAN ON EDUCATION.

To the readers of the "Chronicle" Prof. Radhakrishnan of the Calcutta University is a well-known figure. He was a representative of the Indian universities at the International Congress of Philosophy held under the auspices of the Harward University U. S. A.

He has returned to India and arrived in Bombay by the S. S. "Razmak" on Friday morning from where he motored to Prof. K. T. Shah's residence where he is residing till to-morrow evening.

Interviewed by a representative of this paper, Prof. Radhakrishnan speaking about India's educational system said:

"We are actually broken down so far as politics is concerned, and if in addition we lose our national pride and self-respect there is no hope for us. Our present educational system actually envelopes what may be called inferiority complex. If we lose our wealth and diamond we can get it back; but if we lose our soul we are finished. The dead can't raise, but the poor can." More, continued Prof. Radhakrishnan, in the loss of National pride and self-respect the future seemed gloomy. He did not mean that it should mean interference with India's grasping modern learning and culture, for any culture could be accepted with fruitful results. "But," said the Professor, "we should not be blown off our feet."

VICTIMS OF INTELLECTUAL TIMIDITY

"Our real problem is an economical one" proceeded the Professor, and our educational system does practically nothing to enable us to face this problem. Our whole policy is one-sided and even our literary education has not been sufficiently liberal. We are more assimilative than constructive or creative." Proceeding he said "our thinkers are victims of intellectual timidity. We are afraid to think and also afraid to face facts of life.

EDUCATIONAL NEEDS.

"A single University," like the University of Columbia spends more money than the Government of India does on education. Unless a more systematic and bold effort is made in matters of education, our situation will become intolerable." "I want the universities," he continued, "to be free from all interference by the State, however concealed it might be at the present time. We should free it not only from the Britisher, but also from the Indian politician."

INDIAN STUDENTS IN AMERICA.

Asked to give his impressions, Prof. Radhakrishnan said that there was a keen feeling in America to get Indian students in her universities and he was told that all facilities would be offered to Indian students. In spite of some racial difficulties every attempt was being made to get for the Indian student's a square deal. The authorities of some of the Women's colleges specially told him that they would welcome the Indian girls to their colleges and even give them scholarships and other facilities." He summed up by saying that "we are not taking advantage of the American universities to that extent as the Chinese and Japanese were doing.

INDIAN PHILOSOPHY.

"Indian Philosophy," said the Professor, has ceased to be alive at the present moment because they were now commentators and not constructive thinkers. However, as Indian thinkers, we are able to stick to Hindu thought. In the past days when Hinduism was vigorous and alive, they were readjusting their thoughts, but latterly listlessness reigned." "Unless we realise," concluded Prof. Radhakrishnan, that the world is for the living and not for the dead and reinstate or rather remould our own lives in accordance with modern science and knowledge we have no reason to be proud of the ancient culture and civilisation. The glorification of the past may be a consolation for our bitter present, but we must move on."

18D. RATIO HIGHLY INJURIOUS TO INDIA.

SOUTH-INDIAN MERCHANTS' ASSOCIATION'S PROTEST.

MADRAS, Nov. 11.

Mr. Jamal Mahomed, President, Southern India Skin and Hide Merchants' Association, Madras, has telegraphed to the Government of India, Finance Department, strongly protesting against the exchange being fixed at 18 pence. He says it will be most injurious to India's trade, industry and agriculture. India being predominately a producing country its vital interests demand that exchange should be kept as low as possible. The Association also protests against "Government's repeated wasting of the gold resources of the country in attempts to keep up the exchange to the serious injury of All-India interest." —A. P.

Rt. Hon'ble V. S. Sastri will leave Madras for Delhi by the Bombay Mail on Saturday. On the way back he will visit Ahmedabad and will be in time in Bombay to join the Deputation which sails on 24th instant.—A. P.

THE "NEW LEADER."

MR. BRAILSFORD'S FAREWELL.

Mr. H. N. Brailsford, Editor of the "New Leader," the well-known Labour weekly, has resigned his editorship and the issue of that paper received by yesterday's mail contains the following farewell article from his pen:

This is the last number of the "New Leader" which I shall edit. I tendered my resignation in June, and at Margate it was accepted by the governing body of the Independent Labour Party. Its resolution states the reason for the change in plain but friendly words. A majority of the Administrative Council desires "a more popular type of paper."

Until a permanent choice is made, the paper will be edited by A. Fenner Brockway. The Council has asked me to contribute a weekly article to the "New Leader." I hope (after I have taken a short holiday) that this may be possible.

Under my editorship the circulation of the "New Leader" has stood at a level between two and three times higher than that of the "Labour Leader" when I took it over. It has had its financial ups and downs, but I have the satisfaction of handing it over with a weekly budget which now meets expenses.

My aim during these four years has been to provide for thoughtful readers in the Socialist Movement a paper which might rank, so far as the handicap of its small size permitted, with the older political reviews. A weekly paper devoted to news ceased to be necessary since the "Daily Herald" was founded. For popular reading there are in London and the provinces many Socialist weeklies. The chief need of our Movement seemed to be a review which could discuss from week to week what I described in an early issue as "the constructive problems of the foreground." It is, therefore, with the measures which should serve to make the actual transition from Capitalism to Socialism that the "New Leader" has been chiefly concerned.

It may claim that in this short time it has influenced the thinking and the policy of the Labour Party. The agricultural programme which was adopted last week at Margate was outlined and gradually shaped by articles and discussions in our pages. The view of credit and currency which is now widely accepted throughout the Party was discussed more fully and earlier in our columns than elsewhere. The ideas which centre round The Living Wage and Family Allowances, after winning the assent of the I. L. P., were at Margate accepted by the Labour Party as subjects for inquiry.

Often, I fear, at the risk of offending the older leaders of the Movement, the "New Leader" has kept its independence and its critical outlook. It has stressed the duty of opposing Imperialism. It has refused (as on the issue of Birth Control) to fetter itself by Party calculations. Nor has it forgotten the duty of a humane movement to the animals. In its conduct it has sought to guide itself by three rules: to avoid hate: to be loyal to scientific truth; to remember at every turn, as the paramount issue, the struggle in which we are engaged to abolish class.

From experience and from criticism I learned in many ways to modify my first conception of the paper. On one point I was never willing to yield. A sane life must be a whole life. A political movement, however resolute it may be, impoverishes itself if it closes eyes and ears to the intellectual and aesthetic life around it. "Beauty," I wrote in an early defence of this attitude, "may seem an irrelevance amid our struggles, yet by beauty we form ourselves, as surely as by struggle, and only in so far as we possess it and allow it to mould us, shall we, by our struggles, bend a twisted world to shapelier lines." And so, week by week, an annoyance to some, a satisfaction to many, the wood-engravings, the poems, the essays and the scientific articles have appeared.

The last of my many pleasures as editor is to thank the friends who have worked with me. I would put first among them Miss Margaret M. Green, who has been the most loyal and the most capable assistant that any editor could desire. To Clifford Allen, who made the paper possible, and helped me with wise and friendly advice, I owe the happiest sort of debt. And then, if the paper has done something to shape our political thinking, it is to its band of contributors that we owe it—Norman Angell, Hugh Dalton, J. A. Hobson, "Realist," Bertrand Russell, R. H. Tawney, E. F. Wise and Barbara Wootton.

"Yaffle" (B. J. Boothroyd), with the aid of "Flambo's" (Phillip Mendoza's) pencil, has made the back page the favourite among the sixteen. H. W. Nevinson, E. M. Forster, G. G. Desmond and C. E. M. Joad have lent grace and humanity to pages which without them would too often have been arid and dull. Bernard Shaw has been a generous friend; Mr. Wells gave a memorable series of articles; and to Mr. Russell we owe his two series on Physics. Among the artist I am grateful to more than I can name, but especially to Muirhead Bone, Clare Leighton, Gwendolen Raverat and C. W. Taylor. I like to recall that several of the artists, the poets and the writers of the short stories, who were unknown when they first contributed, have won during these four years the high place they deserve. The annual collection of their work ("The New Leader Book," 1926) will appear as usual next month.

"MUSLIM OUTLOOK" DEFAMATION CASE

EFFORTS AT COMPROMISE

The Notices issued against Messrs. D. J. Upson and Noorul Huq, the Editor and Printer, respectively of the "Muslim Outlook", at the instance of Mahomedalli Mahomed Yusuf, the step-father of Mumtaz Begam for alleged defamation, came up for hearing before Mr. H. P. H. Dastur, the Third Presidency Magistrate at the Esplanade Police Court on Thursday afternoon. The respondents were absent and the complainant applied for a short adjournment of the case. He said that he had come to an understanding with the respondents and that a compromise was possible.

Mahomedalli further stated that the respondents were coming down to Bombay shortly and applied for a short adjournment in order to enable them to come to a settlement.

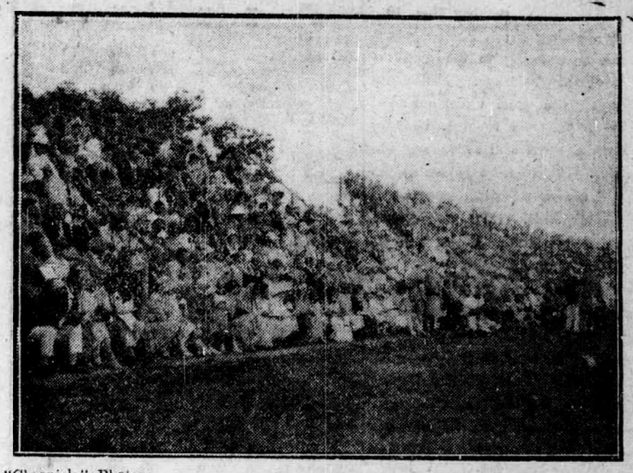
It will be remembered in this connection that the charge against them was one of defamation, the respondents having referred to him in an article published in their journal of June 12 last, as a "professional procurer" among other things.

His Worship accordingly adjourned the case to November 26.

MEDICAL RELIEF LEAGUE

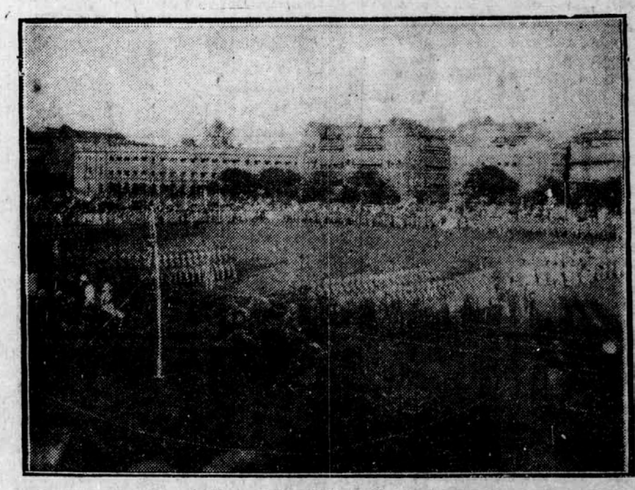
The Medical Relief League, which was reconstituted out of the Dispensary Committee of the Social Service League, Bombay, has just published the first Annual Report of the working of the charitable dispensaries run in this city. During the short time of its existence, the League seems to have made satisfactory progress. During the period under report (1st January 1925 to 31st March 1926) 3,665 patients including men, women and children took the benefit of the Dispensary, thus showing an average daily attendance of about 135. The Governing Council of the League propose to extend and widen the sphere of its activities and beneficient operations and for this purpose an appeal for the necessary funds has been issued. Public are requested to send in their contributions to the Hon. Secretary of the League, 100, Bhuleshwar Road, Bombay No. 2.

TROOPING OF THE COLOURS



"Chronicle" Photos.

The imposing ceremony of the Trooping of the Colours was held on Armistice Day at the Co-operage under the command of the Bombay's new G. O. C., Major-General E. S. Birdwood.



A View of the Military Spectacle.

Taking the Salute.

MR. S. N. HAJI'S CANDIDATURE.

To the Editor of "The Chronicle."

Sir,—You will allow me through your hospitable columns to put in a word for the candidature of my friend, Mr. S. N. Haji, who is standing from the Central Division of the Bombay Presidency for the Legislative Assembly. I do not think there is any necessity for introducing Mr. Haji to the public of the Presidency, specially the business community. Mr. Haji is a brilliant product of the Oxford University and is also a barrister-at-law. He has been an ardent student of economics and was once Professor of Economics at St. Xavier's College, Bombay. He soon left off, however, the academic fields for taking part in the commercial and industrial world for which he was best fitted. He has been connected with the Scindia Steam Navigation Company since its organisation and he has issued a number of books and pamphlets on questions of Mercantile Marine. He has been working as the envoy of the Scindia Steam Navigation Company with the Central Government at Delhi and Simla for the last four years and has thus got a close acquaintance with the working of the Central Legislature and the Central Government. It is one of the crying grievances that the Legislative Assembly has got very few members who have got an intimate experience of the business world and a close acquaintance with the economic problems. The Central Division has not put forward any Swarajist candidate and there are only Responsivists and Independents at present in the field. The electorate of this Division, and specially the electors who are businessmen would do well, therefore, in returning Mr. Haji to the Assembly at the top of the poll. I am sure that Mr. Haji will justify his election by his conduct in the Legislature.—Yours, etc.,

J. K. MEHTA.

NORTHERN INDIA V. M.C.C.

PATIALA TO CAPTAIN FORMER TEAM

It is understood that his Highness the Maharajah of Patiala has been invited officially to captain the M. C. C. team in the final match of the stay in Lahore against the Northern India on 18th, 19th, and 20th inst. The following teams have been chosen to play in the next two matches in Lahore against the M. C. C., and were officially announced on Wednesday evening.

Southern Punjab.—H. H. the Maharaja of Patiala (Capt.) Col. K. M. Mistry, Captain E. H. P. Mallinson, R.O.J.J. C, Cocks, Captain H. S. Lewis, Barclay, Captain Jaginder Singh, Nazir Ali, Wazir Ali, Bargat Ali, D. Vishwa Nath, and Lieutenant G. S. Grimston.

Reserves.—Capt. Narain Singh and Lieutnant A. T. Burlton.

Northern Punjab and Frontier:

Hassan Shah (Capt.), S. E. West, Feroze Khan, Feroze Din, Saleh Mahomed, Abdus Salam, Dilawar Hussain, Lieutenant K. MacKessack, Lieutenant R. E. S. Yeldham, M. D. Pugh, and Brij Lal or Jagan Nath Mehta.

Reserves.—Captain G. S. L. Gregson. Nellis, Khadim Hussain and Jai Singh.

ON A TOUR TO SIND.

HON MR. COWASJI JEHANGIR.

The Director of Information, Bombay, writes:—

The Hon'ble Mr. Cowasji Jehangir, Member of Council, will leave Bombay on 15th inst. on a tour to Sind. He will arrive in Karachi on 17th and proceed to Dadu, Dokri, Larkana, Sukkur and Mirpurkhas, returning to Bombay on December 4.

IMPERIAL BANK RATE OF INTEREST.

BOMBAY, Nov. 11.

The Imperial Bank of India rate of interest on Demand Loans on Government Paper remains unchanged at 4 per cent.—A. P.

CHASMAWALA ON TRIAL

ALLEGED THEFTS

The cases of house-breaking and theft against Babu Chasmawala, the notorious Bombay Dacoit and whose story caused no small sensation not long ago, came up for resumed hearing on Friday afternoon before the Third Presidency Magistrate Mr. H. B. Spencer appeared for the prosecution. The first case taken up was the partly heard one in which the accused was charged with committing theft of four yards of woollen cloth from the house of Tanibai, a Bombay singing girl.

J. Calvera, a taylor stated that the accused gave him the cloth a year ago, with which he made a suit. The accused at that time signed as Keshavlal and Co. About 13 months later the Police came to his shop with Chasmawala. He pointed out the place in the order book where he had signed from which witness traced the cloth he had given him.

Chasmawalla reserved his cross-examination of the witness.

Deputy Inspector Wanjara corroborrated the evidence of the Taylor.

Chasmawala demanded the Panchnama drawn up at the time the cloth was taken charge of by the Police.

Narotam Venkatram Kakolkar, the son of the complainant, identified the cloth as the one purchased for his mother by some one.

Replying to Babu Chasmawalla the boy said he was reading in the English fourth standard.

Chasmawalla:—In which standard were you reading at the time the cloth was bought?—Third Standard. After passing my 3rd standard examination I have been in the Fourth standard for four or five months.

It is now November 1926. Can you tell me in what month the cloth was bought?—No. I can't say.

Replying to the Court Chasmawalla said that he would make his statement at the Session Court.

His Worship informed him that he was going to try the case himself and did not propose to commit him to the Sessions.

Chasmawalla replied, "whatever the Court may say, I desire that this case should be sent to the Sessions."

The accused was again asked by the Magistrate as to whether he desired to make a statement to which Chasmawala replied, "I do not wish to make any statement to any body except at the Session Court."

When asked by the Court whether he gave the cloth to the tailor, Chasmawala declined to answer.

Asked as to whether he desired to cross-examine any of the witnesses, he replied that he would put his questions at the Sessions Court. He added that he had cross-examined the witnesses, only one tenth and nine-tenth remained.

All the witnesses were then called one by one and Chasmawala was asked whether he had any question to ask any of them, but the accused remained firm in his answer and said that he would ask his questions at the Sessions Court.

The Court: Have you any further statement to make?—As I have not cross-examined the witnesses, I don't want to make any statement.

Chasmawala refused to sign the paper on which his replies had been taken down, when asked to do so, on the ground that all his answers had not been taken down. He said that his request that the present case is also all the other cases against him should be taken down. After the Interpreter had taken it down, Chasmawala signed the paper.

The Magistrate then framed a charge of receiving stolen property against him, to which he pleaded not guilty.

When asked as to whether he had any defence witness, he said that he would give the names to the gaoler later on. But, when His Worship explained to him that witness summonses would have to be issued by the court, Chasmawala wanted time to give the names of the witnesses.

The case was accordingly adjourned to November 26.

ANOTHER CHARGE.

The next case was that in which the accused had stolen a few sarees from the house an Indian nurse at Picket Road in December 1924. The accused pledged the sarees with a Marwari, under the name of Krishna Ramchandra.

Chasmawala objected to a question put by the Prosecuting Inspector as to who took out the sarees from the Marwari's bag, on the ground that the prosecutor was leading the witness.

The accused pleaded not guilty to the charge of receiving stolen property framed aganist him and reserved his cross-examination of all the witnesses in this case also.

As in the previous case all the witnesses were brought before the accused who, however, declined to put any questions to them in this Court. He also refused to make any statement partaining to the case under trial. "I am not going to answer these questions or any other questions", added the accused, "that you may put to me hereafter. I want all my cases to be tried at the Sessions Court."

He wanted Chemawala said to call witness, but would do so before the Sessions Court.

The trying Magistrate once more made it clear that none of his cases would be committed to Sessions and that if he wanted to call any defence witnesses he should do so here. As before, Chasmawala was, however, firm in his reply.

The case was, then, adjourned to 26th instant for sentence. All the other cases standing against him have also been adjourned to the same day.

CURE OF MALARIA

CHEAP INDIGENOUS REMEDY.

TULSI LEAVES & WHITE PEPPER.

An indigenous remedy has been suggested by Mr. Allarakbia Rahim from Calcutta for the cure of malaria in Bombay City. Writing to the Bombay Municipal Corporation he states that he finds from the newspapers that Malaria is increasing in Bombay and that although the Corporation have spent lacs of rupees to check it they have not met with success; that from his long experience he finds that there is a very simple and cheap remedy for the disease but that the people do not avail themselves of it; that if a person takes early in the morning 7 leaves of the plant *Tulsi* with 7 grains of white pepper, he gets much relief, and that if he continues the treatment for three days, the fever leaves him altogether; that if the Corporation were to distribute pills prepared from these ingredients, the people would be greatly benefited and that they should also distribute the *Tulsi* plant free among people because wherever these plants are kept mosquitoes disappear from the place. Adding that the Corporation should give a trial to this remedy because he is sure that there is no other remedy except this for Malaria.

ALLEGED OBSTRUCTION TO POLICE.

CONG SECRETARY CHARGED.

DELHI, Nov. 11.

The case against Lala Shankerlal, Secretary, Provincial Congress Committee, was opened to-day before Mr. S. S. Lewis, Special Magistrate. The accused, who runs a Swadeshi store in Chandni Chawk, is being prosecuted under Sections 186 and 504 I. P. C. for alleged obstruction to the police. Mr Mohd. Amin, head police constable, deposed that he went to the accused on October 5 to get him to sign an order of the District Magistrate to the effect that no one was to admit any stranger to his house from 7th to 17th October except on his own responsibility. It was a precautionary measure against any disturbance during the Ramlila celebrations. The accused refused to sign the order on the plea that it was meant for householders and not for shopkeepers in general and for him in particular. He also used abusive language against him (witness) as also against the District Magistrate and refused to give him his name.

The second witness Kanahya Singh corroborated the story of the first witness, closing the case for the prosecution.

The accused in his oral statement deposed that the complainants were dressed in mufty. He admitted that he had refused to sign the order but denied to have used any abusive language. On the other hand, the complainants, he said, had behaved rudely towards him.

The magistrate framed charges against Shankerlal under both sections and the case adjourned till to-morrow.—A. P.

VICEROY'S COMING VISIT TO ALLAHABAD.

ALLAHABAD, Nov. 11.

Arrangements for the Viceroy's visit to Allahabad are now well in hand under the supervision of a Committee, with Mr. J. C. Smith, the Commissioner, as Chairman. About Rs. 12,000/— has already been subscribed. The draft of the Municipal Address will be considered at a meeting next Saturday. Besides the Municipal Address, state arrival and Garden party at Government House, there will be no other public function. The rest of their Excellencies time, will be spent in visiting places of interest.—A. P.

ALL INDIA TRADE UNION CONGRESS.

CALCUTTA, Nov. 11.

A meeting of the Reception Committee of the All-India Trade Union Congress resolved that the seventh session of the All-India Trade Union Congress should be held on Saturday, January 1st and Sunday, January 2nd 1927, subject to the approval of the Executive Council of the Trade Union Congress.—A. P.

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STOCK EXCHANGE.

Bombay Nov. 12.

To-day the Bombay Stock Exchange was open for one hour owing to the death of one member of the Exchange. Mill shares opened firm with a good undertone:

Dyeings were in good request. Century was active while Pearl and Fazal registered a good rise. There were buyers at fixed limits and sellers were cautious not to commit at a low level. The general outlook is not favourable for a rise and we look for narrow markets.

Tata Iron and steel shares ruled firm. There was more buying in Ordinary shares than Defferds. It is understood that these shares meet good demand at certain limits.

Hydros also improved on general buying and registered rise of Rs. 15.

Burmas were active at Rs. 550/- and Tramways improved to Rs. 130.

Imperial Bank shares exchanged hands at Rs 150 2/8 and partly paid at Rs. 3/6/4.

LOCAL BANKS	Paid up	Last Quotation Rs.	Divid.	Rs. a.
Bank of India	50	2½		74
Baroda	50	4		86 8
Central Co-operative	50	7¼		67
Central	25	1¼		28 6
Eastern	£ 5	9 p.o.		83
Imperial	500	40		1556
Imperial Contributory	*125	10		376
Union	5	0 4 0	3	14
CEMENTS AND MANGANESE				
Bundi	10	..		19
Central India Mining	10	4¼Y		26 12
Indian Cement O.	350	..		105
Katni Cement O.	100	..		101 4
Katni Cement D.	40	..		290
Punjab Cement O.	10	..		5 12
Shivrajpur	10	8Y		47
RAILWAY COMPANIES.				
Ahmedabad Prantej	500	11 p.o.		920
Amritsar Pattis	100	10 p.o.		147
Central Provinces	100	7½ p.o.		112
Dhond Baramati	100	6 p.o.		100
Guzerat	100	5 p.o.		92
Hoshiarpur Doab	100	5 p.o.		99
Larkana	100	5 p.o.		79
Mandra Bhon	90	5 p.o.		81
Pachora Jammer	100	5 p.o.		87
Sara Sirajgunj	100	5 p.o.		99
Sialkot Narowal	100	5 p.o.		106
Sind Light	100	12 p.o.		152 8
Tapti Valley	500	8 p.o.		690
Upper Sind Light	100	4 p.o.		78
STEAMER COMPANIES.				
Bombay Steam Navigation O.	250	..		170
Bombay Steam Navigation P.	250	..		235
Scindia Steam	15—0—			11 8
ELECTRIC UNDERTAKINGS.				
Ahmedabad Electricity	100	5 p.o.		77 8
Andhra Valley O.	1,000	..		732 8
Andhra Valley P.	1,000	..		1015
Bombay Tramways O.	50	4-8		129 6
Bombay Tramways P.	50	3-8		65
Karachi Electricity	100	6		92
Surat Electricity	100	..		67
Tata Hydro-Elec. O.	1,000	30	1043	12
Tata Hydro-Elec. P.	1,000	7 p.o.		965
Tata Power O.	1,000	..		592 8
Tata Power P.	1,000	..		785
PRESS COMPANIES				
Barsi Press				435
Akbari	500	..		250
Fort	475	..		330
Harvey & Sabapathy	500	20-35		1025
Indian Cotton	126	20		215
Manmad Manufacturing	250	..		220
New Berar	500	80		860
New East India	1,000	..		975
New Mofussil P.	400	40		600
New Prince of Wales	500	61		650
Volkart U.P.	500	40		550
MISCELLANEOUS COMPANIES				
Alcock Ashdown	100	..		220
Madras United	250	15		515
Maneckjee Petit	1,000	30		1830
Mathradas	100	..		110
Meyer Sassoon	100	..		82 8
Morarjee Goculdas	1,000	..		2250
Model Mills, Nagpur	250	..		127 8
Mysore	50	4		115
New City of Bombay	100	10		130
New Great Eastern	300	nil		288 12
Osmanshahi (100)	75	..		70
Pearl	250	12		503 12
Phoenix	100	10		370
Premier	100	..		25
Sassoon Cotton	100	..		22
Sassoon Silk	500	..		540
Sholapur	1,000	450		820
Simplex	250	..		127 8
Sir Shapurji Broacha	100	..		32 8
Standard	500	40		1459
Swadeshi	100	18		477 8
Swan	100	..		146
Tata Mill O. 17	500	..		121 4
Vishnu Cotton O.	500	90		2325
Vishnu P.	500	35		580
Belapur Co. Ltd.	76	..		18
B. Burma T. Corporation Ltd.	125	7-8		545
B. Burma T. Corporation New	60	3		147 8
Burma Corporation	10	0-6		10 8
Bombay Uganda	80	4-12		50
British Burma Petroleum	Sh. 8	0-2-0		5 10
Indo-Burma Petroleum	100	..		195
Jost Engineering	100	10		112 8
Mckenzie	100	30		375
New Union Flour Mills	100	..		30
Port Canning	1,000	50		635
Sardar Carbonic Gas	100	..		90
Tata Iron Pref. 1st	150	6 p.c.y		140
Tata Iron Pref. 2nd	100	..		75
Tata Iron Defd.	30	..		212 2
Tata Iron and Steel Co O.	75	..		69 12
Thacker	50	..		110
Telephone	50	nil		32
INSURANCE COMPANIES.				
Empire of India	50	22-8		710
Industrial & Prudential	6	5½ p.o.		5
Jupiter	15	..		5 12
New India	25	1y		20 8
Oriental Life	100	30 p.o.		1100
Vulcan	10	0-6-0		4 1

MILLS.

Ahmedabad Advance	100	10	400
Ailiance	100	..	35
Apollo	50	..	6 8
Assur Viriee	100	..	4
Berar Manfg.	200	30	240
Bombay Cotton O.	500	15	320
Bombay Cotton P.	10	5 p.o.	5 8
Bombay Dyeing etc.	250	25	866 4
Bombay Industrial	100	..	7
Bombay Woollen	100	..	70
Bradbury	250	nil	290
Bradbury P	250	7 p.o.	170
Broach Fine Counts	250	..	85
Century	100	20y	375
Central India O.	100	16	522-8
Central India P.	500	5 p.o.	445
Ceylon	100	..	40
Colaba Land & Mill.	100	..	130
Coorla	100	..	125
Crescent	100	4	170
Currimbhoy	250	..	170
David	500	..	300
Dawn	250	40	625
E. D. Sassoon United O.	7/8		0 15 6
Ebrahimbhoy Pabaney	250	nil.	250
Edward Sassoon	200	nil	130 4
Elphinstone O.	100	..	24
Emperor Edward	500	..	225
Fazulbhoy	250	25	867 8
Finlay	100	nil	125
Framjee Petit	1,000	..	575
Globe	100	..	30
Gokak	100	5	1064
Indoostan	1,000	125	1600
Indian Bleaching, etc.	100	6	175
Indian Manufacturing	1,000	751	1035 8
Indore-Malwa United	100	18-12	312 8
Jamshed O.	250	..	70
Khatau Makanjee	Nil		92 8
Kilachand	25	..	2
Kohinoor	500	..	1125
Lakshmi Cotton	1,000	150	5675
Madhora Scindia	100	..	19
Madhowji Dharamsi	100	..	113 12

SHARE-MARKET FLUCTUATIONS.

Bombay, November 1-

Ahmedabad	..	..	..	400
Bombay Cotton	..	..	..	318
Bombay Dyeing	860	863-4	860	866 4
Century	367-8	370	367-8	3 -2
Central India	518-12	522-8	518-12	52200
Colaba Land	..	..	..	137
Crescent	..	..	..	1708
Edward Sassoon	..	..	..	1255
Fazulbhoy	862-8	867 8	862-8	862.8
Finlay	..	..	..	1259
Globe	..	..	..	252
Gokak	..	..	..	1064
Indian Bleaching	..	..	..	170
Indore Malwa	..	..	..	312-5
Kohinoor	..	..	..	1145
Madhowjee	..	..	..	113-1
Mathuradas	..	..	..	142
Meyer Sassoon	..	..	..	82
Mysore	..	..	..	108-1
New Great	2-6-4	283-12	283-4	288-1
Pearl	..	500	500	500
Pabany	..	..	..	210
Phoenix	..	..	..	370
Simplex	..	..	..	127-8
Swadeshi	..	..	..	476 4
Swan Mills	..	..	..	145
Tata Mill	..	..	..	121-4
MISCELLANEOUS				
Alcock	..	..		220
Bombay Steam	..	..		170
Bundi Cement	..	..	..	19
Central India Mining	..	..	..	26-12
Indian Cement	..	..		105
Kathi Cement Ord.	..	..		102-8
Shivarajpur	..	..	..	46-14
Tram Co. Ord.				129-6
Tata Hydro	1037-8	1045-	1037-8	104312-
Tata Iron & Steel Ord	61-12	633	61-12	62-12
Tata Iron & Steel Def	207-8	215	207-8	212-8
Govt. paper 3/8 per cent	..		..	77-3-6
Govt. paper 5 per cent	..		..	103-1

CALCUTTA STOCK EXCHANGE.

Bombay Nov. 12

JUTE.

Albion	512	Howrah	44/10
Alliance	535	India	..
Alexandra	..	Kamarhatty	671
Anglo-India	413	Kankanarrah	526
Auckland	282	Kelvin	870
Barnagore	200	Khardah	490
Bally	220	Kinnison	1020
Birla	9/12	Lansdowne	300
Belvedere	560	Lawrence	629
Budge-Budge	522	Lothian	483
Caledonian	590	Naihati	485
Chapdani	175	National	32/4
Clive	38/4	New Central	100
Craig	4/14	Northbrook	56/8
Cheviot	307	Nudea	48/12
Dalhousie	463	Orient	266
Delta	565	Presidency	8/6
Empire	55	Reliance	74/8
Fort Gloster	835	Soorah	28/8
Fort William	334	Standard	500
Gondalpara	1025	Union	580
Gourepore	720	Waverly	7
Hukumchand	13/10	HESSIAN	14/13
Hooghly	83	JUTE	61/2

COTTON.

Agra United	-/10	Dunbar	133
Bowaria	..	Keshavram Cotton	3/14
Bengal Nagpur	..	New Ring	..

COAL.

Burrakur	21/10	Kurdi	..
Bokaro Ramgur	..	Neetooria	..
Gusick &		New Kendah	..
Musalia	..	Raneegunge	33/8
Katras Jherriah	..	Samla Kendra	..

MISCELLANEOUS.

B.B. Petrol'm.	..	I. Standard Wagon	
B.I. Corporn.	..	Marshalls	..
B.I. „	D	Madon Theatres	4/2
Burma Corp	10/8	Scindia Steam	..
C.P. Cement	..	Titagar Paper	..
Howra Oil	..	Thorney Croft	..
Hume Pipe	..	Imperial Bank	1500
I.I. Still	6/6	„ Conty.	385

Remarks:—

Jute shares opened steady, closing strong. Undertone healthy. Cottons and coal were quiet. Government securities remained easy 3 1/2 per cent Government Paper 77/7, 5 per cent Bonds (1945-55) 108/5, 4 per cent New Loan (1960-70) 88/12.

SHIPPING.

Nov. 12.

ARRIVALS.

Razmak, Miller, Aden.
Baroda, Maclean, Busreh.

DEPARTURES.

Nov. 12.

Hoogkerk, Vandijk, Hamburg.

Nov. 13.

Cape Ortegal, McMaster, Calcutta.
Ranchi, Furlong, Aden.

LOADING.

Nov. 12.

Steamer British Soldier for Abadan.
Steamer Vasna for Busreh.
Steamer Razmak for Aden.
Steamer Gurbeta for Calcutta.

S S Baroda:—The B I S N Co.'s steamer Baroda, arrived in harbour yesterday from Busreh, with a general cargo and passengers.

S S Hoogkerk:—The E. D. Sasoon Co.'s steamer Hoogkerk, sailed yesterday from Bombay harbour for Hamburg, with a general cargo.

S S Cape Ortegal: The Scindia S. N. Co.'s steamer Cape Ortegal, will sail to-day from Bombay harbour for Calcutta, with a general cargo.

ENGLISH MAIL REPORT.

S S Razmak:—The P. and O. S. N. Co.'s English mail steamer Razmak, arrived in harbour yesterday from Aden, with the outward mails of the 28th October, a general cargo and 184 saloon and 106 deck passengers.

S S Ranchi:—The P. and O. S. N. Co.'s English mail steamer Ranchi, will sail today from Ballard Pier station at 2.30 (P.M.) for Aden, with the homeward mails, a general cargo and passengers.

AFRICAN MAIL REPORT.

Nov. 12

S S Karapara:—The B. I. S. N. Co.'s mail steamer Karapara, arrived in harbour to-day at 7 a.m. from Durban, etc., with mail, a general cargo and passengers.

COLABA OBSERVATORY, BOMBAY.

Summary of Meteorological Observations during 24 hours ending 8 a. m. of 12th November 1926.

Barometer (corrected to 32° F) at 8 a.m. 29.942 inches (.002 below normal.)
„ „ at 4 p.m. (previous day.) 813 „ (.022 below normal.)
Change of 8 a.m. barometer in past 24 hours, —.043
Temperature (dry bulb) at 8 a.m. 77.4 degrees
„ (wet bulb) „ 73.4 „
Maximum temperature during 24 hours 87.7 degrees (above normal.
Minimum temperature during 24 hours 75.4 degrees (0.9 above normal.)
Relative Humidity at 8 a.m. 82 percent
„ „ at 4 p.m. (previous day) 71"
Direction of wind at 8 a.m. N E
Velocity „ „ 4 mile per hour.
Total movement of wind in 24 hours 111 miles.
Velocity of Maximum gust of wind during 24 hours 15 miles per hour.
Extent of cloud at 8 p.m. (the whole sky cloudy = 0)

DAILY WEATHER REPORT.

FOR THE 12TH NOVEMBER 1826.

Summary of observations recorded at 8 hrs. on Friday, the 12th November 1926, giving data for the preceding 24 hours.

The Punjab.—Ambala reports 1.10 inches of rain and Delhi a light fall. Skies are heavily clouded in the neighbourhood of Ambala and mostly clear elsewhere. The air is more humid than usual in the south-eastern parts. Maximum temperature was markedly in defect in the west and the minimum moderately in excess in the east Punjab.

The United Provinces.—Jhansi reports a light fall of rain. Skies are moderately to heavily clouded over the west of the area and clear over the east. The air is locally drier than usual. Minimum temperature was above normal at Agra and below normal at other places.

Sind and Rajputana.—Skies are clear or lightly clouded. Humidity is in excess in upper Sind and the northern parts of Rajputana and in defect in lower Sind and the central parts of Rajputana. Temperature was below normal in the north of the division and nearly normal elsewhere.

Gujarat, Kathiawar and Central India West.—Skies are free from cloud. The air is locally drier than usual in Gujarat and Kathiawar. Maximum temperature was below normal in west Kathiawar; the minimum was higher than usual in Central India West and lower in Cutch and north Gujarat.

The Central Provinces.—Skies are lightly to moderately clouded. Humidity is in defect at Saugor and Chanda. Night temperature was markedly above normal in the western districts.

The Konkan.—Skies are free from cloud and moisture in the air is as usual. Temperature was locally above normal. Bombay recorded a maximum temperature of 87.7 deg. (normal) and a minimum of 75.4 deg (1 deg. above normal.)

The Bombay Deccan and Hyderabad.—Skies are clear or lightly clouded. Humidity is nearly normal except at Poona, where it is in excess. Temperature was locally above normal.

General Remarks.—The western depression is now over the central parts of the country and has caused local rainfall in the east Punjab and the west United Provinces. Rain has also fallen locally on the Coromandel coast and in south Malabar. The chief amounts, not mentioned above, are Trivandrum 0.49 inches, and Negapatam 0.26 inches.

Forecast.—Decrease in the Punjab and a few falls in the central parts of the country.

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PROGRESS OF SERICULTURE.

MR. N. RAO'S EVIDENCE.

BANGALORE, Nov. 11.

"A combination of cheapness and badness has held our industry in thrall though alive. Better-reeled foreign silks and artificial silk with cheap glitter irresistable to untutored eye have invaded the traditional markets and are fiercely competing with Mysore silk" thus remarked N. Rama Rao, Sericultural Expert in Mysore giving evidence before the Royal Commission on Agriculture when it assembled this afternoon. The Raja of Parlakimedi who arrived from Madras also took part in to-day's proceedings. Questioned by the Chairman hte witness held that sericulture was more practicable as a spare time industry than a whole time occupation of the cultivating class. It had no bad effect on other occupations and half an acre devoted to sericulture would pay hundred rupees per annum. Replying to the Raja of Parlakimedi's suggestion whether castor with its dual advantage of seed and leaves could effectively replace mulberry as a rearing plant witness stated that mulberry was the most suitable and profitable for Mysore conditions. To Professor Gangulee, he replied that the possibility of expansion of this industry was immense, particularly, in populous centres of the State. It was unworkable in Malnad area with its scarcity of poulation as population was the most important factor to be reckoned with in this connection. Replying to the same member again, the witness maintained that so far as his researches went, he could boldly state that Mysore indigenous seed gave the best results. Here the witness traced the history of sericulture in Mysore, referred to its decay in the early sixties and showed how the Mysore worm emerged triumphant in 1890 and continued to make progress as the result of Vivorous State action. He also agreed that the indiginous technique in silk production was best suited locally. In regard to education in the industry witness said that sericulture had been made an optional subject in the lower middle schools for the benefit of children, whose parents were in the industry and the scheme was being worked by trained teachers in the line.

NEED FOR PROTECTION.

Replying to Sir Henry Lawrence witness remarked, that the industry was generally popular, though Jains as a community would have nothing to do with it. Brahmins would support the rearing portion of sericulture but would go no further. Replying to Dr. Hyder witness held that though a tradition existed, that the industry had been originally brought into Mysore during the time of Hyder and Tippoo he could not support the theory. It was according to him only about hundred years since the industry had commenced to be worked and though a very large number of Mahomedans had been engaged in sericulture it could not be stated they ever monopolised the same. The witness agreed that the worms were originally brought from China. Replying to Mr. Kamath witness could not definitely state whether it would be feasible in any part of British India to undertake a similar lucrative part-time occupation for cultivators as it depended entirely on local conditions. The witness was then examined on the general details of the scheme as worked in Mysore and before concluding he emphasised the need for protection of the industry by increasing the duty on imported silk from 15 to 25 per cent.

Mr. Mirza Ismail, Dewan of Mysore was at home to the Chairman and members of the Royal Commission this evening. Earlier in the day they visited the Indian Institute of Science at Hebbal. In the morning they attended the armistice parade service. The commission leaves for Coimoatore by special train at 10 to-night.—A. P.

KAIRO-KARACHI AIR ROUTE.

LONDON, Nov. 11.

Sir Samuel and Lady Hoare accompanied by one or two Secretaries will leave Croydon by air on 27th December to open Cairo-Karachi Air Route. They will probably return from Karachi by the same aeroplane to Cairo and from there proceed by sea to London about middle of February.—Reuter.

KILLED ON THE RAILS.

An unknown Hindu, aged about 30, was knocked down by an engine of a local train at about 7-15 p.m. on the 10th instant at Mahim. It appeared he was walking along the down-line when seeing a fast train coming from the up line he moved on the down line and was knocked down by the engine of the local train coming from that direction. He was removed to the J. J. Hospital where he succumbed to his injuries on Thursday, death being due to fracture of the skull. At an inquest held by the Coroner the jury returned a verdict of accidental death.

Nothing has been disclosed as regards doings of two Imperial Conference Committees, namely Imperial Defence Committee and Inter-Imperial relations Committee held to-day. To-morrow there will be full day seven committees meeting.

AEROPLANE FACTORY IN TURKEY

MR. FIELD'S CRITICISM ANSWERED.

MUSTAFA KEMAL'S STATUE.

(From Our Correspondent.)

STAMBOUL, Oct. 20.

Day by day the Republican Government is equipping the country with those means which are necessary for developing its resources and making it able to defend itself against greedy agressors of Europe. The establishment of an aeroplane factory at Kaisiri is a step forward in the same direction. Nearly a year ago, the Premier had uttered the warning:—"Unless we command the air, we have no right to breathe freely even on our own soil." And lo! the industrious and self-sacrificing Turkish nation has not only already bought more than a hundred aeroplanes but has established an aeroplane factory too. Prof. Junkers of the famous Junkers aeroplane works has corroborated with the Turkish Company which owns the Factory. For the first year, all accessories of the machines except the engins, shall be prepared. But in the 2nd year it is expected that these works shall be able to manufacture aeroplane Engines and Motor Cars too.

Two factories for sugar manufacture and two for match industry are under construction and are expected to be completed this year.

A CHALLENGE

I was astonished to read in the "Bombay Chronicle" (Sept. 28) that Mr. Arthur Field in his letter (dated Sept. 9) accused me of "exhibiting an extraordinary capacity for approving of every thing that happens in Turkey." But in support of such a sweeping statement of his, he did not quote even a single concrete instance in which I exhibited this "Capacity!"

He first of all protests his friendship to Turkey, then he condemns her and at the end lavishes his praises upon the achievements of the Republican Regime.

I have been supplying the readers of the "Bombay Chronicle" with unbiased information about Turkey and have been giving them the inferences I drew, without of course, mentioning in detail the reasons which led me to those inferences; for, the space at my disposal has been very limited I challenge Mr. Field to refute any of my inferences regarding Turkey. He wants to pillory me for Javid's case, before I had written anything about him. A very nice way of attacking me, is it not? I possess conclusive evidence which can justify all the decisions of the Turkish Tribunals of Independence. Mr. Field reads stale and even incorrect information about Turkish affairs supplied by correspondents who do not know Turkish, while I am on the spot reading and studying every thing myself. As an example of the ignorance of British correspondents regarding Turkish affairs, I may quote the "Times" representative here who says that the new Turkish Civil Law is called the "Mejella," while in fact it is the old Civil Law which was known by the name "Mejella."

THE GHAZI'S STATUE.

The last week witnessed the unveiling of the Ghazi's statue in the Park surrounding the old Seraghi Palace on the shores of the Marmora. The statue is the work of one of the ablest sculptors of Europe and stands out as a symbol of new Turkey in marked contrast to the massive but corpse-like walls of the Seraglio, the remnant of the old order.

FINANCE MINISTERS' CONFERENCE.

DISCUSSION OF PROVINCIAL GRIEVANCES.

(From our Correspondent.)

DELHI, Nov. 11.

The Conference of Finance Ministers that will assemble in Delhi on the 15th instant, will be attended by representatives from all the provinces, although it is premature to state the subjects that are likely to be discussed at the Conference. It is regarded as fairly certain that the occasion will be seized, for a discussion of those grievances which were voted by Bombay, Madras and Bengal representatives, in the Central Legislature. These suggestions, which were pressed in the last budget discussion at Delhi can be given effect to only after a change in the devolution rules. The conference which will be presided over by Sir Basil Blackett will last for 4 days and the following are expected to participate in the proceedings: Hon. Mr. Moir and his Secretary Mr. Boag from Madras, Sir C. V. Mehta and Mr. G. Wiles from Bombay, Hon. Mr. J. Donald and Mr. J. A. Woodhead from Bengal, Hon. Mr. R. Burn and Mr. E. A. H. Blunt from U. P., Mr. N. B. Deane Deputy Chief Accounting Officer, Allahabad, Sir Geoffrey DeMont morency and Mr. Emerson from Punjab, Hon. Maharaja of Dumraon and Mr. Tallents from Bihar and Orissa, Sir William Keith from Burma, Hon. Mr. J. T. Marten and Mr. Gowan from C. P., and Hon. Mr. Botham from Assam.

CHICHERIN AT ODESSA

LONDON, Nov. 11.

Odessa.—M. Chicherin arrived here today accompanied by Zeki Bey, the Turkish Ambassador in Russia, and was officially greeted at the station by the Turco-German consuls and leading representatives of the Turkish community. Tewfik Rushdi is expected here to-day.—Reuter.

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CHAUK SHOOTING TRAGEDY

HEARING COMMENCED AT RANGOON COURT.

RANGOON, Nov. 11.

The Chauk shooting case in which one American driller A.B. Wiggins of B.O.C. Oilfields at Chauk near Yenangyaung and his Indian durwan Nabi Buksh are being prosecuted under Section 302 I.P.C., for murdering two Indians by shooting them, which had been transferred to the Rangoon courts, came up for hearing to-day before the District Magistrate. Doctor Singh of the B. O. C. was the first witness examined. He stated that on 4th September last as about 8-30 p.m. Driller Nunsey came to him and took him to Wiggins' bungalow where he found the dead body of an Indian Rambali on the verandah and the body of another Indian Rahmat Ali with gunshots inside the bedroom. The wounded man was taken to hospital where he succumbed to his injuries next evening. He heard that the second deceased had said he was caught stealing inside and was shot by the owner of the bungalow. The second witness Dr. Ba Theyn Sub-Assistant Surgeon, who held the post-mortem examinations described the wounds in detail and identified the bullets he had extracted from wounds on their bodies.

Mrs. Florence Wiggins, wife of the first accused was the third witness. She stated that Nabi the second accused told her husband not to leave the bungalow that night as it was liable to be robbed by 'tail ollahas' or greasers. Taking her child she went away to the club with two driller friends who had come there that evening, while her husband stayed behind. She heard of the incident at the club and returned to her bungalow. The next witness Holiday another driller stated that being informed of the incident he went to police station and thence to Wiggins' bungalow accompanied by police men. He found one body dead on the verandah and another wounded inside. He was told at the police station that Wiggins had shot two dacoits who visited the bungalow He informed the court that theft was too common there and so drillers had to be on the alert. Several other witnesses were then examined and the case was adjourned till to-morrow. Both the accused are on bail. There is also a counter case in which Wiggins has brought a charge of burglary and theft against one Indian Tasaduk Khan who is alleged to have broken into the bungalow of Wiggins at night in the company of the deceased who had been shot. This case also has been transferred here to the District Magistrate.—A. P.

SCHOLARSHIPS TO MUSLIM STUDENTS

BOMBAY, Nov 10.

The Trustees of the Estate of the late Mr. Dawoodbhoy Fazalbhoy of Bombay have during the current year awarded Studentships to the following Muslim Students for prosecuting higher studies in England. In addition to these, fifteen students have already been sent out by them to England, Germany, America and Egypt. A Muslim lady Graduate was also awarded a Studentship for higher studies at Cambridge, but could not obtain a seat in any of the Ladies' College at Cambridge this year. She will probably proceed next year.

It has also been decided to send two more students this year for higher studies in Medicine.

The Trustees of the Fund are Messrs. Sheriff Dewjee Canjee and Dawoodbhoy Nonsey.

1. Mr. Fazle Karim of Lahore, Punjab. Passed the Third Year Examination of the MacLagen Engineering College at Lahore for the B. Sc. (Engineering) London.

2. Mr. Mahomedali L. Mistry, M.B.B.S., of Bombay, for M.D. (London) and F.R.C.S. (London) (A scholar of the Khanoobai Jairajbhoy Peerbhoy Trust Supplementary Ssholarship awarded.)

3. Mr. Kasimbhai G. Shaikh, L.C.E., of Ahmedabad, for B. Sc. (Municipal Engineering) University College, London.

4. Mr. Abdul Aziz A. Shaikh, B.A., L.C.E., of Kolhapur, for B. Sc. (Municipal Engineering) University College, London.

5. Mr. Habibullah Khan, of Poona, Architectural Course of Sir J. J. School of Arts for the Professional Associateship of Surveyor's Institute, London, Joined the College of Estate Management, London.

6. Mr. I. Y. Suleman, B.A., B.T., of Karachi, Sindh, for the degree of M. Ed., Leeds University.

7. Mr. Mohomed Tufail of Lahore, Punjab Passed the Second Year Examination of the MacLagon Engineering College at Lahore for the B. Sc. (Engineering) King's College, London.

8. Prof Mukhtar Ahmed Khan, M.A. (Economics) of Aligarh, for the Ph.D. (Economics) London. Joined the School of Economics, London.

9. Khan Saheb, A. M. Moulvi, M.A. (Arabic) of Karachi, Sindh, for the Ph.D. (Arabic). Joined the School of Oriental Learning, London.

10. Mr. Shaikh Khadim Mohiuddin, B.A., B.T., Kasur, Punjab, for M.Ed., Leeds University.

11. Mr. Mohomed Ayub Khan of Sarai Saleh, N.W.F.. Province, for training in the Royal Military College at Sandhurst.

12. Mr. Aziz Khan, M.B.B.S., of Ahmedabad, for F.R.C.S. of Edinburgh.

13. Mr. Shaik Abdul Latif, M.B.B.S. of Gujrat, Punjab, for the M.R.S.P. and Diploma in Tuberculosis.—A. P.

B. B. & C. I. RY.

QUADRUPLING OF TRACK ON LOCAL SECTION

The following subjects were discussed at the 26th meeting of the B. B. & C. I. Railway Local Advisory Committee held on 1st inst.

Congestion of traffic at Bandra Station:—The Chairman explained that this question had arisen out of a representation made to him by the Chief Officer of the Bandra Municipality and that he proposed to improve the approaches to, and circulating area in front of, the station building, and that an estimate for the work was now under preparation.

Opening of a flag station between Kalol and Anakhol on Kalol-Kadi Railway:—The Chairman notified the members of the opening of a flag station between Kalol and Anakhol on the Kalol-Kadi Railway—a branch line owned by the Baroda State and worked on their behalf by this Administration.

45-Day Return fare tickets between Agra and Kath Godam (via Kasganj):—The Chairman informed the Committee that this Railway had decided to issue, in conjunction with the Rohilkhand and Kumaon Railway, concession tickets at 1½ fares per return journey between Agra and Kathgodam (via Kasganj).

Quadrupling of tracks on the Bombay Local Section.—The Chairman advised the Committee of the opening, on Sunday the 31st October, of the through tracks between Parel and Grant Road and remarked that with the opening of this section, the large and complicated project of quadrupling the local lines between Borivli and Grant Road, a work of several years, might be said to have been practically carried to its completion.

The Chairman also made a passing reference to the more important works now in progress or to be undertaken in connection with the scheme for electrificaion.

RAILWAY PROGRAMMES IN MADRAS

MADRAS, Nov. 11.

The Financial Commissioner of Railways who arrived here yesterday on tour had a discussion with the members of the Government of Madras with reference to certain railway and hydro-electric programmes in this province in which both Government and the railways are directly interested. Further discussion on the matter will take place on the return of Mr. Parsons from tour.

Mr. and Mrs. Parsons are guests at the Government House and leave Madras on Saturday for Trichinopoly, Shencotta, Trivandrum and Cochin returning here on the 25th instant.—A. P.

NOTICE ON R.I.Y. AUTHORITY

QUESTION REFERRED TO HIGH COURT

ALLAHABAD, Nov. 11.

An interesting point of law was raised at the Allahabad High Court before Mr. Justice Iqbal Ahmad, whether notice under section 77 of the Railway Act served on the Chief Commercial Manager, East Indian Railway in respect of a claim was sufficient notice. As His Lordship thought the matter was of considerable importance and difficulty he directed the case to be put up before a bench of two judges for decision. The Small Cause Court Judge of Kashganj, who made the reference to the High Court in the case, said the matter was not free from difficulty. The East Indian Railway Company, had come under Government since January 1925 and so far as he knew, no manager as such had been appointed to enable literal compliance with the provisions of section 140 of the Railway Act. It had been argued on behalf of the plaintiffs that the Chief Commercial Manager was the proper authority appointed to receive notices of claims while on behalf of the railways it had been said he was an officer subordinate to the Agent and notice served on him was not valid. The real difficulty said the judge was that the post of Chief Commercial Manager was a new one and it was not the same thing as manager or agent under section 140. His own view was that a notice sent to the Chief Commercial Manager should be deemed to be sufficient compliance with the provisions of the law for the reason obviously that for all practical purposes he was the Chief Railway Officer to entertain all claims against the company at present. In the circumstances the judge sent the case to the High Court for an expression of its opinion.—A. P.

SPORTING ACTIVITIES IN SUBURBS

(From Our Correspondent.)

ANDHERI, Nov. 11.

Amidst tremendous applause and in the presence of a large and representative gathering, the opening ceremony of the sporting section under the auspices of the Ville Parle Catholic Association took place in the compound of the Church on Saturday, last.

Rev. Fr. J. Santos, the President of the Association, whilst wishing the sporting section success, dwelt on the essential need of such an enterprise and exhorted the audience to maintain unity and goodwill among the members. All the members then proceeded to the playground, the Rev. Vice-President went in to bat and the hit of the first ball bowled it automatically declared the sporting activities open amidst tremendous applause.

The rest of the members had a good practice at the net after which they retired for light refreshments.

A great festival of the Deity Shri-Vithal will be performed at Angarh (Taluqa-Dapoli; Dist. Ratnagiri) on Monday (the 15th inst.)

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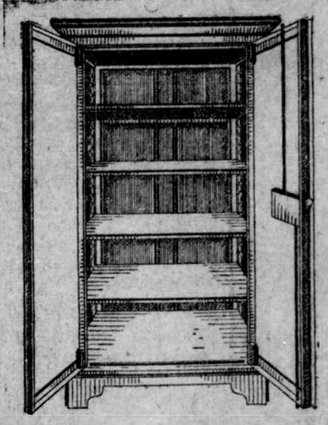

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COTTON MILL PURCHASES.

The purchase of the Diamond Mills in Bombay by the local Japanese merchants marks a new era in the history of cotton spinning in this country. It will be remembered that Reuter cabled from London a press message to India on the 9th instast that a Japanese Syndicate had purchased a number of cotton mills belonging to an important Bombay group for over £2,000,000. There has been no further detail or confirmation of this message up to this date (October 30th) and Indian financiers and merchants are not inclined to take the news seriously, says the "Indian Textile Journal" (Oct. 1926). The Currimbhoy group of mills in Bombay, which have enjoyed a high reputation for efficient management and handsome returns for many years, were believed in some quarters to be the favourites in the estimation of Japanese capitalists, but the suggestion has been treated in the mill circle as a mere feeler or an exaggeration. The purchase of the Currimbhoy group of 12 factories would involve over 2 1|2 crores of rupees, or perhaps more, considering their value and reputation and the returns they have given to the shareholders, and it is doubtful if the Japanese financiers would venture to invest a large capital outlay and take the chance of managing cotton mills in Bombay under the very trying and difficult conditions with which they may not be able to cope. However, the purchase of the Diamond Mills has been confirmed and the year 1926 will, for the first time, include the name of a Japanese firm in the list of millowners in the Town and Island of Bombay.

DIAMOND MILL.

The Diamond Mill has had a chequered career; it was started in 1890 as the Hope Mill by the late Mr. Rangildas Bhukhandas, an enterprising yarn merchant, who received considerable assistance and guidance at the hands of the late Sir George Cotton, then senior partner in the firm of Messrs. Greaves, Cotton & Co. The concern was purely a spinning factory and the mill yarn made very satisfactory headway in the China market for a long time and the business prospered. Subsequently, however, it came to grief and was sold to Sir Cowasjee Jehangir, Bart., who worked it profitably as the Prospect Mills till the year 1919 when it was transferred for very valuable consideration during the boom period to Messrs. Gulabchand Devchand & Co. The new owners changed the name of the factory to the Diamond Mills with a paidup capital of Rs. 22,73,500 and 34,550 spindles and 760 looms. Under this agency the Diamond Mills made a profit of Rs. 9,00,000 in 1922 and Rs. 5,00,000 in 1923. It has now been purchased, as already announced, by a Japanese Syndicate, which includes Mr. Anandiram Potdar, cotton broker to the Japan Cotton Trading Co., Ltd. The mill is named the Toyo Podar Cotton Mills, Ltd., with Mr. T. Sasakura, the manager of Messrs. Toyo Menka Kaisha Ltd., as the managing director. Mr. K. Fujimari will be the general manager while Mr. Sadachi, who has just arrived from Japan, will be the technical adviser. Mr. Sadachi is an expert in cotton spinning and weaving and has considerable experience of cotton mills in his native country.

The Toyo Podar Mill is the first mill in India to be owned and worked by Japanese financiers and merchants and we understand that the machinery in certain departments will have to be replaced and that the mill will be thoroughly renovated before work is re-started. The price of the purchase is said to be Rs. 14,80,000 which is even less than the value of the buildings alone, which latter is shown at Rs. 17,68,000 in the 1924 balance sheet.

Millowners in Bombay, at any rate, will look forward with some anxiety to the advent of the Japanese manufacturers in the largest centre of the textile industry in India, while the local managers and mill experts will be no less concerned at the arrival of the Japanese technical advisers, followed possibly, in course of time, by Japanese managers and overlookers.

MILL MANAGEMENT.

The management of Bombay cotton mills with British capital and under the direct supervision of directors and managers from Lancashire has been tried in former years in the case of several mills in this city but without success. The Toyo Podar Mill is therefore a new departure in the management of cotton mills in India, and it has to be seen whether Japanese capitalists will prefer in the near future to compete with India in yarn and cloth manufactured in their own country or as next-door neighbours to the Indian spinners. No doubt there may be millowners in Bombay who would prefer to work alongside a mill owned by the Japanese and worked under the same conditions of labour, hours, climate, etc., instead of under the unfair conditions existing in Japan at the present day and which are now under investigation by the Cotton Textile Tariff Board appointed by the Government of India.

It will be the first time in the existence of the textile industry in India that a cotton mill will be owned by Japanese merchants and worked under Japanese technical advisers and managers, and millowners throughout India will naturally look forward with great interest to the first balance sheet and profit and loss account of the Toyo Podar Mill in Bombay. The Diamond Mill bargain is all in favour of our Japanese friends and does not by any means indicate a cheerful outlook for local millowners and investors who have given their best for the advancement and prosperity of this industry. In 1920-21 cotton mills in Bombay changed hands at fabulous prices; in 1924-25 more than half a dozen have had to be hawked about at the price of the land or building.

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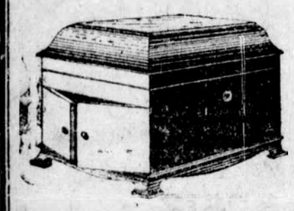

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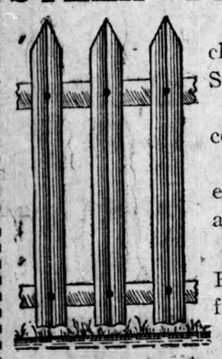

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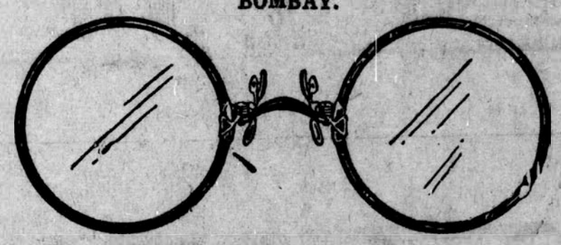

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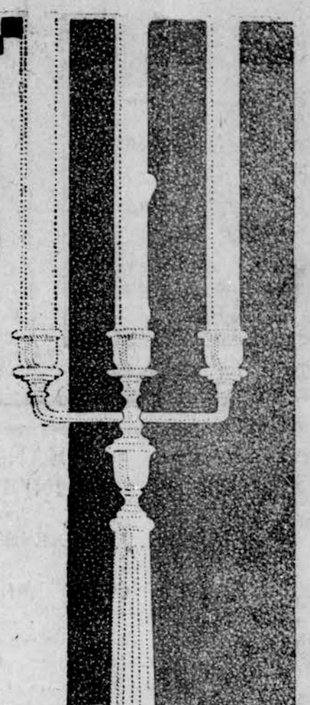

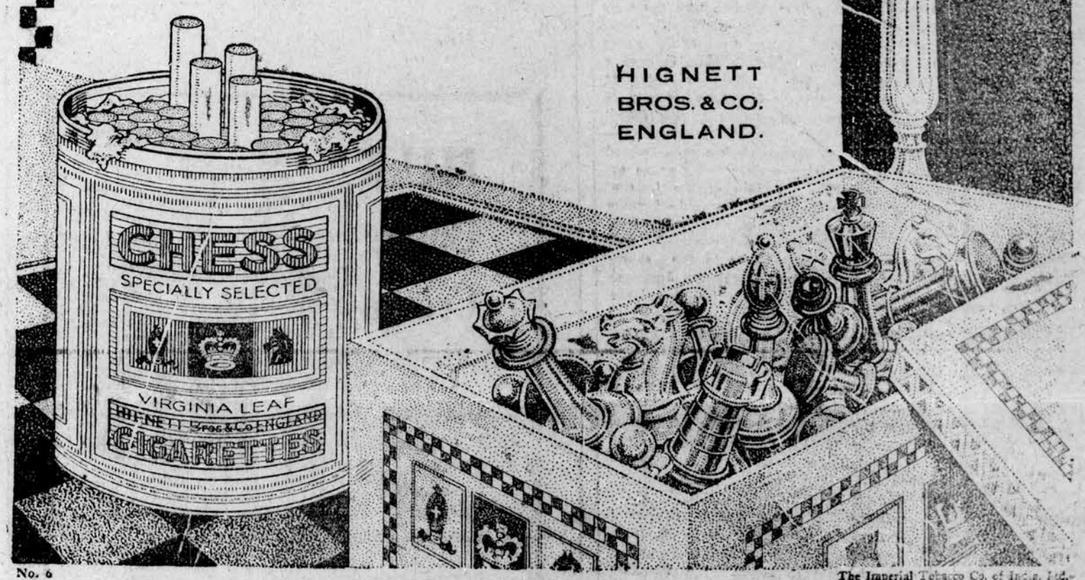

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